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FRENCH MISSION AND U. S. OFFICIALS AGAIN CONFERRING

Marshal Joffre Visits War College and Admiral Chocheprat Takes Up Naval Co-operation in War With Admiral Benson; Viviani Sees Schwab.

PARTY WILL VISIT NUMBER OF CITIES

Commission Plans to Finish Business in Washington Next Wednesday, and Go to New York, Philadelphia, Chicago and Boston.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Military, naval and financial co-operation between the United States and France were discussed today by members of the French mission and representatives of the American Government. The ground work for conferences between the British, French and American representatives, it is expected, will be laid later at a conference between Foreign Minister Balfour, head of the British mission, and M. Viviani, head of the French party. The chiefs of the mission have an appointment to meet at the headquarters of the French mission.

M. Viviani today visited the Supreme Court and received some callers, among them Charles M. Schwab of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation.

Marshal Joffre today visited the War College. Other members of the military contingent conferred with members of the general staff at the War Department.

Admiral Chocheprat, head of the naval section, conferred at the Navy Department with Admiral Benson, Chief of Operations, and later with other naval members discussed overseas transports and the participation of the American navy.

French and American technical experts plan several independent conferences. Tonight the entire French commission will be dinner guests of Ambassador Jusserand of the French embassy.

To Visit Other Cities.

Visits to other cities by the French mission upon the conclusion of its business in Washington were tentatively arranged today. Unless there are unforeseen developments or delays, the party will leave Washington Wednesday for Philadelphia. Thursday the distinguished Frenchmen will visit Valley Forge. Friday and Saturday, it is expected, will be spent in New York, and Sunday the mission plans to go to Chicago. Before the following Wednesday the party should arrive in Boston. The harbor probably will be inspected, and some of the party may visit Harvard University.

Had Busy Day Yesterday.

The mission spent a busy day yesterday, beginning with a call on Secretary Lansing. To applause from assembled officials and Government clerks the members of the mission and their staffs filed through the corridor of the State Department shortly before 11 o'clock. They remained with Secretary Lansing five minutes and then went to the White House, where they were received by President Wilson in the blue room. M. Viviani presented to the President a letter from President Poincare, in which the great friendship existing between the two republics was emphasized. The President, through an interpreter, expressed his appreciation.

When the party left the White House, Marshal Joffre returned to the War Department to call upon Secretary Baker; Admiral Chocheprat went to the Navy Department to call upon Secretary Daniels, and M. Viviani to the Capitol to call upon Vice President Marshall.

Mr. Marshall extended a tentative invitation to the head of the mission to appear on the floor of the Senate. It was later indicated that M. Viviani had accepted, and that he probably would go to the Senate either on Saturday or Monday to be presented and perhaps make some informal remarks.

In the afternoon preliminary conferences between the American and French technical experts were inaugurated and callers began to arrive at the White House to visit the principal members of the mission. Attorney General Gregory was among them.

At Dinner at White House.

Last night the chiefs of the mission were entertained at a dinner at the White House and later the entire party attended a reception there. A large number of officials and other persons prominent in the official life of Washington greeted the distinguished Frenchmen.

GEN. FUNSTON'S MOTHER DIES

Shock of His Sudden Death Had Weakened Her.

EMPORIA, Kan., April 27.—Mrs. E. H. Funston, 73 years old, mother of the late Major-General Frederick Funston died at the home of her daughter here today.

Mrs. Funston was ill at the time of the death of her son and it is said the shock of the General's sudden death aggravated her weakened condition. Notwithstanding this, she went to California to attend his funeral.

'STAND ALONE IF YOU HAVE TO, BUT STAND BY THE PRESIDENT'

Message From Montana to Miss Jeannette Rankin, State's Congresswoman.

BUTTE, Mont., April 27.—"Stand alone if you have to, but stand firmly behind the President," was the message sent to Miss Jeannette Rankin, Congresswoman, today, by several clubs, whose advice she had asked regarding her stand on universal military service.

Miss Rankin had telegraphed:

"I have heard no one in the House who is supporting the President's conscription bill. Do you wish me to stand alone for this?"

The Chamber of Commerce of Hamilton, Mont., and the Rotary and Pan-Hellenic clubs of Butte answered her in the affirmative.

TWO UNNATURALIZED GERMANS HELD FOR U. S. AUTHORITIES

One Employed at Chemical Works, and Other Was There Until Few Days Ago.

Franz Fonseca, 917 Mallinckrodt street, and Otto Bischoff, 807 Bremen avenue, unnaturalized Germans, were arrested by policemen last night and are held for the Federal authorities.

The arrests were based on information that Fonseca and Bischoff had been heard talking about explosions and about going to Mexico.

Fonseca is employed at the Mallinckrodt Chemical Works and Bischoff also worked there until 10 days ago. Policemen searched the basement of Fonseca's home and found a quantity of chemicals.

Edward J. Brennan, chief investigator for the Department of Justice, today refused to discuss the arrests.

MARKED QUARTER AS EVIDENCE VANISHES; LIQUOR MAN FREED

Policeman Who Made Arrest Reports That Unmarked Silver Piece Was Substituted.

Policeman Bauman, in a report received at police headquarters today, charged that a marked quarter which he had turned over to court employes to be used as evidence against Ray Bickerton, a saloon keeper of 1106 South Fourth street, charged with selling liquor on Sunday, had disappeared when the case was called for trial yesterday, resulting in the dismissal of the charges. He said that an unmarked quarter had been substituted for the marked one.

According to Bauman's report, he went into the saloon two weeks ago Sunday and bought drinks, paying for them with the marked quarter. He arrested Bickerton and took the quarter to be used as evidence. The case was tried in Judge Miller's division of the Court of Criminal Correction.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Ray Weinbrenner, who conducted the prosecution of the case, said he received from the police department a sealed envelope in which he found a quarter. The mistake, he said, evidently was made in the police department, as the envelope had not been opened before it came into his hands.

OFFERS TO CLEAN FLAGS FREE

Youngstown Man Wants All in City Immaculate for Decoration Day.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 27.—Max Fish, an Austrian by birth but an American patriot, has offered through the Youngstown Chamber of Commerce to prove his love for "Uncle Sam" by dry cleaning free of charge every American flag in Youngstown, regardless of size, brought to him in the 15 days following May 1. He declares he wants every flag unfurled to the breeze on Decoration day immaculate.

15-CENT BREAD IN CLEVELAND

Represents Price Advance of About Twenty Per Cent.

CLEVELAND, O., April 27.—The 15-cent loaf of bread was introduced here today by one of the largest baking companies in the city. The change in sizes and prices of loaves amounts to an increase in price of about 20 per cent.

In Next Sunday's Post-Dispatch

The Menace of World-Wide Famine—
Noted economical and food student analyzes the unparalled and dangerous condition that confronts mankind today.

Raising the Stars and Stripes at St. Thomas—
Impressive photograph in the ROTOGRAVURE SECTION of the scene attending the Americanization of our new colonies in the West Indies.

"Enlist in the Navy"—
A stirring appeal by Secretary Daniels through the Post-Dispatch.

What the United States Has Done for the Poor Boy From Germany—
A noted St. Louis business man, who was himself a poor immigrant from Germany not so long ago, tells what this country has done for him and others like him and why Germans should be loyal to a land that gives them opportunities they never dreamed of at home and would never have had there.

Getting a U. S. Naval Recruit Ready for the Sea—
Just what he is put through to make him fit "to do his bit" in our first line of defense.

The President's Great War Message—
Printed in full, in colors, on a double magazine page, so Sunday Post-Dispatch readers may file for reference the historic plea for the democratization of the world.

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PREDICTS BRITAIN AND U. S. WILL END U-BOAT MENACE

Lloyd George Says Best Brains of Two Nations Are Concentrated on Problem.

NEXT JOB TO BE DONE

British Premier Declares Tide of War on Land Has Turned in Allies' Favor.

LONDON, April 27.—In a speech at the Guild Hall today, Premier Lloyd-George discussed the military situation, the Irish question and others of the major problems with which the Government is now engaged. The Premier's speech was in acknowledgment of the conferring on him of the freedom of the City of London. Referring to Ireland, the Premier said:

"We must convert Ireland from a suspicious, surly, dangerous neighbor to a cheerful, loyal comrade. Settlement of the Irish question is essential for the peace of the world and essential to a speedy victory in the war. I appeal to the patriotism of all men to sink everything for the one purpose of getting this question out of the way."

Lloyd George paid a tribute to the financial community, through the help of which, he said, British credit had survived the financial panic of the early days of the war. This community, he said, took an honorable part in the triumph of the last war loan, which was the most remarkable financial exploit ever witnessed.

Says War Tide Is With Britain.

After alluding to the organization of the ministry of munitions, the Premier said:

"Now, thank God, our men have a real chance in the fight. The story now is very different from what it was in the early stages of the war. Before June, 1915, we lost 84 guns and a considerable number of prisoners. Since that date we have not lost a single gun, while we have captured 400. Regarding prisoners, we have taken at least ten to one. The tide has now turned. Victory is coming increasingly nearer.

"During the first 18 days of the Somme battle we captured 11,000 prisoners and 84 guns. During the first 18 days of the Arras battle our captures were 18,000 men and 230 guns, while we gained four times as much ground. This meant not only ultimate victory. It meant victory is going to be won at less loss, and our chances are growing as our equipment is improving, and the Germans know it. That is the explanation of the despair which has driven them to black piracy on the high seas.

"This is the next job we have to deal with. Our minimum problem is to feed a population of 45,000,000 in a country which is not self-supporting, to provide the necessary material and food to equip our armies and keep the seas free for the transport of the troops of ourselves and our allies. That has had to be done against the swarm of pirates moving unseen under the trackless seas, since the Germans determined to sink all craft indiscriminately without warning. There is no doubt we have lost many ships, but they brought America in and I am perfectly satisfied with the balance. America, after great patience, came to the conclusion there was no use of waving a neutral flag in the teeth of a shark, and she is definitely with us to put down this menace once for all.

"The best brains of America and Britain are concentrated on this problem. There was never a human problem which was not soluble and I don't believe this is an exception to the rule."

Million Fresh Acres Seeded.

Dealing with the effort of the Government to make the country selfsupporting, the Premier said that as a result of the guarantees to the farmer and the farm laborer a million fresh acres of land had been brought under cultivation, which was equal to producing 2,000,000 tons of food.

"I do not say that the war is going to continue through 1918," Lloyd George went on, "but we must take no chances. We have taken far too many. If the German knew that by holding out until the end of 1918 he could win, he would hold out; but if he knows that the longer he holds out the worse it will be for him peace will come much earlier."

The Premier said the Government was taking steps for the harvest of 1918, and that if the plans were carried out there would be 3,000,000 more acres of land under cultivation and no one would starve, but the country must help in husbanding foodstuffs.

"We have got to economize our shipping until we have discovered a method of destroying this ocean basilisk," said the Premier. He then outlined the steps already taken in this direction. He added that the Shipping Controller had made arrangements under which Great Britain would get three times, perhaps four times, as many new ships this year ast last.

SELECTIVE DRAFT INDORSED

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 27.—Without a dissenting vote the Young Men's Business Club of 150 members at a luncheon yesterday adopted a resolution indorsing selective conscription for raising the United States army. The resolution will be sent to Congressman Hamlin of the Seventh District and Missouri Senators. Hamlin is opposed to conscription.

FINAL ARGUMENTS ON WAR ARMY BILL MADE IN HOUSE

Representative Dent Sums Up for Volunteer Plan and Kahn for Draft.

VOTE BY TOMORROW

Friends of Conscription Confident It Will Win in Both Branches of Congress.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Debate of the war army bill is in progress this afternoon in both branches of Congress. In the House the summing up is being made by the sides favoring and opposing conscription and five-minute talks are to follow, with a night session in prospect and a purpose to take a vote by 6 p. m. tomorrow, if possible.

The Senate also is debating the measure with the expectation that it will take a vote tomorrow evening. Friends of selective draft, advocated by the President, are confident that it will win in both houses.

Summing Up in House.

Chairman Dent closed the argument in favor of the volunteer amendment and Representative Kahn summed up in support of straight-out selective conscription.

The House cheered Kahn loudly when he began. In every war, he said, some Americans had put every obstacle in the way.

"The extreme pacifist always has been with us," he said, "and frequently he hampered operations of the Government in and out of Congress."

A system which permits the volunteer to sacrifice his life in defense of his flag and permits the shirker to remain at home he denounced as neither just nor democratic.

"It is the duty of the individual to respond to colors whenever the nation decrees he is needed," he added, "and the selective draft system puts the ourden equally on the shoulders of all males of military age."

Kahn denied that German soldiers could not be sent overseas unless they volunteered. He said honesty compelled admiration of the fighting qualities and valor of the Germans, that Belgium's army was made up from draft; that the soldiers who fought the battle of the Marne and are now driving back the German forces were all men conscripted by France and that the Italians are conscripts.

Praises Conscript's Valor.

"Under systems of universal obligation to service in war time," he said, "these men were trained for just such an emergency as that which confronts them today. Anyone who attempts to belittle the valor of the conscript does not know what he is talking about.

"There must be no blunders like those made in the past. Every man between 21 and 40 years old must know that he is liable to be called during the progress of this war. His country will determine when his services are needed and will notify him in proper time. That is the democratic, fair, equitable way."

Today's Senate Debate.

In the Senate the bill was taken up today under an agreement to reach a final vote by tomorrow night. Senator Jones of Washington, a Republican, opened the debate, supporting a selective draft.

"The man who must conduct the war, our commander in chief, urges it as a wise and necessary measure now," said he. "The military authorities almost without exception urge it. The Senate Committee that has fully examined into it recommends it. The lessons of this great war point to it as a wise course. Why should I not vote for it?"

The Washington Senator said that he knew many of his constituents are opposed to the selective draft, but that he believed those constituents expected him to weigh and consider questions and perform his duty.

Senator Kenyon said he expected to support the bill, but wanted exemptions in favor of men in employments of military value changed so that the power of enforcing such exemptions would not be in the hands of military men alone. He approved the La Follette amendment for civil tribunals to pass upon questions of exemption.

Wants T. R. Sent to France.

The Iowa Senator declared he favored also an amendment which would permit Col Roosevelt to go to the front in command of American troops.

"It would be an inspiring thing," he said, "if Col. Roosevelt could lead a division side by side with the tri-color of France. Nothing would help bring the war to a speedy end as much as that. But they say it would demoralize our army. It seems to me it would demoralize the army of the enemy more."

Senator Kenyon read figures to show enormous increases in the incomes of corporations affected by the war and added:

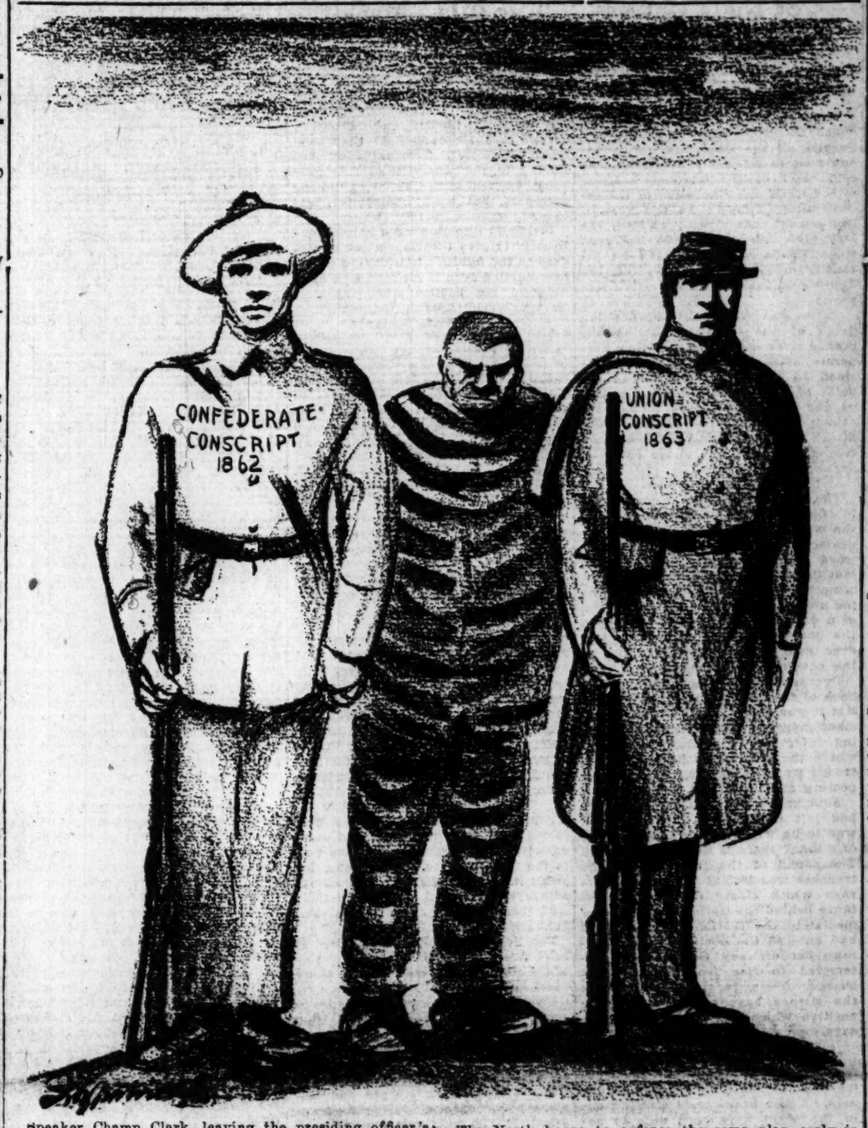
"I want to say that while I am voting for conscription of these men I am going to vote later on for conscription of the great incomes of this country to help pay the expenses of this war. Conscription of incomes above the ordinary amount that any ordinary demands of life need is just as logical as the conscription of men."

Senator McCumber declared that 10,000,000 of the best trained officers and men would not win the war for the United States if the submarines were not overcome.

"I think it is a fair estimate to say

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Conscript and Convict



Speaker Champ Clark, leaving the presiding officer's chair Wednesday afternoon to speak to the House against the selective draft bill, said:

"So far as Missourians are concerned, there is precious little difference between a conscript and a convict."

The South resorted to conscription in August, 1862, to fill the depleted ranks of its armies.

The North began to enforce the same plan early in 1863, although Congress had passed the draft law almost a year before.

Does Speaker Clark really see no difference between the thousands of splendid soldiers who were gathered into both armies under this plan and the wearers of prison stripes?

U-BOATS MEETING EXPECTED SUCCESS, SAYS VON CAPELLE

"No Doubt That in Conceivable Time England Will Suffer Consequences."

BERLIN, via London, April 27.—A confidential statement in regard to the progress of submarine warfare has been made by Vice Admiral von Capelle, Minister of the Navy, to the Reichstag main committee in the discussion of the naval budget. An official statement regarding the Minister's communication was given out here today, showing that he told the committee the success of the submarines continued to be great and their losses small.

Reports already at hand showed that a favorable result could be expected for April. The reduction of tonnage at the disposal of hostile nations, he said, was taking place with mathematical certainty, thereby increasing the lack of foodstuffs.

The Minister continued:

"Notwithstanding the sharp censorship in entente countries, sufficient news has reached us to show that the U-boats have hit a vital nerve of England and, through her, of her allies. The (London) Morning Post of April 16 says that the number of English boats really sunk has been kept secret, but that the scales are inclining toward Germany and that this gain probably will increase in mathematical progression.

"This is significant. The navy has fully realized the expectations on which the proclamation of the sea barrier was based and it has no doubt that in a conceivable time England will suffer the consequences."

British Admiralty Criticised by London Papers for Shipping Loss.

LONDON, April 27.—The newspapers this morning editorially criticise the Admiralty for the losses to shipping last week, knowledge of which was gained through the usual weekly statement issued by the Admiralty Wednesday night.

"Command of the sea is passing into the hands of the U-boats, and, if the sea lords permit this to continue, they need not expect the country to accept any excuses."

The Daily Express tells the Admiralty that its only way out of the difficulty is to devise means for making it impossible for U-boats "to get out of their holes, or if out, to get back."

SWINGLEY WILL SERVE AS FIRE CHIEF SEVERAL MONTHS

Assistant, to Be Named Tuesday, Will Succeed Him When He Leaves City's Service.

Mayor Kiel announced today that Charles E. Swingley would serve as Chief of the Fire Department for three or four months in addition to his duties as Director of Public Safety and that at the end of that period he would retire permanently from the city service. Building Commissioner James N. McKelvey will take his place as Director of Public Safety, and an Assistant Chief, to be named Tuesday, will succeed him as head of the Fire Department. The present Chief, Frank E. Henderson, leaves the department on Monday, having been ousted by the Mayor.

Swingley, who has been in the service of the city for 48 years, will devote the period before his retirement to a thorough reorganization of the Fire Department.

BRITISH BREAD RATION EXCEEDED

Weekly Consumption Six Pounds Per Head, Instead of Four.

LONDON, April 27.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today, Capt Charles Bathurst stated that the estimate showed that the consumption of bread last week was six pounds per head, instead of four pounds, as recommended by the Food Controller.

MORE RAIN; TEMPERATURE TO REMAIN ABOUT THE SAME

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	40	8 a. m.	46
6 a. m.	45	2 p. m.	58



Yesterday: High 60, at 2 p. m.; low 41, at 6 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Rain tonight and tomorrow; not much change in temperature.

Missouri — Rain tonight and tomorrow; colder tonight in southwest portion and in south portion tomorrow.

Illinois — Rain tonight and tomorrow; cooler tomorrow in extreme south portion.

Stage of river: 21.6 feet; a fall of .3 foot.

VIEWS ON DRAFT OF CONGRESSMEN FROM MISSOURI

Speaker, Booher and Romjue Oppose Plan, With Rubey and Rucker Noncommittal.

Leased Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The symposium of the Post-Dispatch on conscription which was received by the Missouri Congressmen last night attracted much attention here today.

Copies of the Post-Dispatch of Wednesday containing interviews with 10 men in each of 75 communities in Missouri had been mailed by the Post-Dispatch to Missouri Congressmen and Senators which insured their being informed of the views of their constituents.

Senator Stone said he favored the conscription plan. He would amend the bill in several respects, but will not interfere with its passage by demanding changes. Stone declared that it did not require a Missouri symposium to cause him to make up his mind.

"I have read part of the symposium," said Senator Reed. "It will not affect me. I think the people of the country are misinformed as to the propositions before Congress. They are getting a one-sided view of it. I am for the volunteer plan first."

Clark Uses Short and Ugly Word.

Speaker Clark took a broad side-shot at all of his critics and declared his views are expressed fully and clearly in his speech of Wednesday. The statement made today was directed at former Ambassador Gerard, who criticised him in New York last night.

"It is hardly worth while to waste time and breath on Judge Gerard," said he. "The poor man is laboring hard to keep in the limelight out of which he is rapidly fading. He or any other man who impugns my patriotism is a liar and the truth is not in him.

"His statement that I got 'cold feet' at Baltimore and withdrew when I might otherwise have been nominated is a most preposterous lie, for the record shows that I never withdrew and that the Missouri delegation forced the last roll-call even after everybody knew Wilson would be nominated."

When Speaker Clark was asked if he had anything to say regarding the crit-

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BRITISH ADVANCE IN TWO SECTORS OF ARRAS FRONT

Capture of Important Positions Between Reaux and Gavrelle and Near Arras-Cambrai Road Announced by War Office

German Destroyers Bombard Ramsgate, Killing 2 Persons, Wounding 3 and Damaging 21 Houses.

French Capture Trenches and Gain Ground in Vicinity of Moronvilliers, Cerny and Hurtebise.

LONDON, April 27, 2:10 p. m.—Important positions between Reaux and Gavrelle and near the Arras-Cambrai road have been captured by the British, the War Office announced today.

The British during the night also captured the quarries on the eastern outskirts of Hargicourt. The report reads:

"The enemy made a minor unsuccessful attack last night against our positions in the neighborhood of Fayet northwest of St. Quentin. His troops were driven off with loss after sharp fighting and he left a number of prisoners in our hands.

"During the night we captured the quarries on the eastern outskirts of Hargicourt. The enemy fled hurriedly, abandoning rifles and equipment.

"Other successful local operations were made by us in the neighborhood of the Arras-Cambrai road and on the spur between Roex and Gavrelle. Important enemy positions were captured by us at both points.

"Northwest of Lens a German raiding party was caught by our machine gun fire and it failed to reach our trenches."

RAMSGATE IS BOMBARDED BY THE GERMANS

LONDON, April 27.—German destroyers attacked Ramsgate last night, according to an official announcement issued by the War Office. A large number of shells were fired, but the destroyers were driven off by the fire from the land batteries.

One man and one woman were killed during the bombardment and one man and two women were injured.

The statement of losses and damage was contained in an official announcement embodying a report from Field Marshal Viscount French, commander of forces in the United Kingdom. The statement read:

"Lord French states that the damage and casualties occasioned by the enemy during the bombardment of the East Kentish coast last night are: Killed, one man and one woman; injured, one man and two women.

"Damage was done to 21 dwelling houses and two stables. One horse was killed. The larger number of projectiles fell in the open country."

Although this morning's bombardment was the heaviest that Ramsgate had experienced in the various attacks made during the war, the damage was relatively small, says an Exchange Telegraph report from the bombarded town. More than 100 shells fell in the town, the advices state, but only 10 houses were seriously damaged. One man was killed by the shell fire and a woman died after she had been taken to a hospital.

The greatest damage to property was that done to the inn.

"Artillery Fighting of Greater Violence," Berlin Reports.

BERLIN, via London, April 27.—Along the Aisne and the Champagne the artillery fighting is developing graduality to a pitch of greater violence, says today's official report from the western front.

The statement reads:

"Western front — Front of Crown Prince Rupprecht: On the battlefield of Arras the activity of the two artilleries again increased yesterday evening along an extensive front. Our military was also active west of Lens against preparatory movements by the enemy infantry which were observed.

"South of the Scarpe, the British attacked on both sides of the Arras-Cambrai road. They were repulsed, with heavy losses by our fire and in hand-to-hand fighting.

"Front of the German Crown Prince: Along the Aisne and in the Champagne the artillery battle is gradually developing greater violence. Infantry engagements on the Chemin-Des-Lames resulted in the capture of ground and of prisoners.

"Front of Duke Albrecht: There is nothing new to report.

"On the western front the enemy lost 11 airplanes, nine of which fell during aerial combats, and two captive balloons. Lieut. Wolff was victorious for the twenty-first time in an aerial battle."

French Take Trenches at Maron-Villers, Hurtebise and Cerny.

PARIS, April 27.—The French have captured several trenches on the heights around Maronvilliers and have also gained ground in the region of Hurtebise and Cerny, according to an official state-

ment issued by the War Office. The total number of cannon captured since April 16 is placed at 130.

The statement follows:

"The artillery fighting was rather spirited south of St. Quentin in the section between Nanteuil-La-Fosse and Sancy and near Ville-Aux-Bois. During the night the Germans attempted various surprise attacks against our front. They were repulsed easily by our machine guns or by our grenadiers. The enemy suffered appreciable losses, especially on the western edge of the forest of St. Gobain, in the Rheims sector and northeast of Auberive.

"We carried out several successful operations. In the region of Hurtebise and near Verny we gained ground. We took 40 prisoners. Near Moronvilliers we captured several trench elements and occupied a point of support east of the mountain without a name. During an incursion into the enemy lines at the forest of Le Pretre French detachments inflicted heavy losses on the adversary, destroyed shelters and brought back prisoners.

"The number of cannon which we have captured between Soissons and Auberive during the fighting since April 16 has reached 130."

Turks Retire Further North of Samara in Mesopotamia.

LONDON, April 27.—A further retirement of the Turks in Mesopotamia for a considerable distance north of Samara recently captured by the British is reported by Gen. Maude. The Thirteenth Turkish Corps is entrenching in the foothills of the Jebel Hamrin range, between the Tigris and the Diala, where the British are in touch with it.

Germans Using Great Masses of New Troops in Arras Fighting.

LONDON, April 27.—Reuter's correspondent said last night:

"The Germans are still hurrying up fresh reserves to press their counter attacks. They are fighting a great delaying battle, although not now standing upon any well prepared system of defenses and can only hope to check our advance by using up great masses of troops whose breasts have taken the place of parapets.

"This policy must result in greatly accelerating the process of exhaustion, and if continued long the situation will resolve itself into the simple problem of which side can longest maintain the deadly pace.

"Prisoners declare that the German army is now being drained at a rate which brings collapse within a measurable distance."

The British official communication last evening said:

"A party of the enemy which attempted to raid one of our crater posts southeast of Ypres early this morning was driven off with losses.

"There was considerable activity during the day by both sides at a number of points between St. Quentin and Arras and also in the neighborhood of Ypres.

"Our airplanes were successful yesterday in spite of the less favorable weather. In air fighting two German machines were brought down, one of them falling in our lines. A third was driven down out of control. Three of our machines are missing."

Submarine Sinks Steamer and Fires on Crew in Open Boats.

LONDON, April 26.—The British steamship Kildale, bound for Malta, was torpedoed in the Mediterranean Sea on April 12. While the crew was in boats the submarine came to the surface and fired on the boats with a mounted gun and rifles. One member of the crew was killed and eight others wounded.

BAYONET IS BRITISH ARM OF LAST APPEAL IN BITTER FIGHTING WITH GERMANS

Positions That Resist Day Attacks Are Won by Night Charges, Where It Is a Man-to-Man Battle With Steel.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN FRANCE, Via London, April 27.—Despite all the wondrous war weapons modern science has created, the cold steel of the bayonet has asserted itself anew in much of the recent bitter fighting as the arm of last appeal. As already related, the struggles about Monchy-Le-Preux since Monday have attained an intensity unequalled by any of the fighting in the Somme campaign last year.

There was one German position north of the town paralleling the Scarpe river which resisted four desperate attacks. It was finally decided to take this position at the point of the bayonet without a shot of any kind being fired to rob the attack of its surprise nature. The attack was made along a three quarters of a mile front under cover of darkness.

Advance in Darkness.

The British battalions were formed in comparatively close order and at the whispered word of command, repeated along the line, trudged forward into the night. Grim and silent figures they were, some in kilts, some in plain khaki, each man wearing a steel helmet, each having a firm grip on his rifle with fixed bayonet, the polished surface of which however caught no reflecting light in the enveloping darkness.

Overhead shells were droning and back of the lines guns could be heard. But it was only a desultory bombardment going on and there were fleeting intervals of strange quiet just where the determined line of British troops was approaching their unsuspecting gray-clad foes.

Four unsuccessful daylight assaults had left a touch of chagrin which was to be wiped out in this "getting of a man" there is little more to tell. The sound of the fighting in the trenches was lost in the British barrage which closed down some distance behind the German position immediately the British signalled they had entered the position. This barrage cut off any German who attempted to flee from the bayonet charge. Thus, in ten minutes with the silence bayonet was secured a position which had held out for two days.

"Kamerad" Ruse Employed.

The bayonet also has come in effectively in dealing with the ever troublesome machine gun and gunners. A few brave men, stealing out in the night have been able to accomplish much.

Several British battalions have reported in the last few days that the Germans are again employing the old "kamerad" ruse, suddenly standing up in the shallow trenches and holding up their hands and shouting across to their opponents that they would surrender. Two battalions believing in the sincerity of this proposal started across to bring in the prisoners, but were immediately attacked.

Incidents like this have helped materially to give the element of bitterness to the fighting to a degree which has startled even those men who have been in the battles since the first German rush through Belgium.

Trained With Bayonet.

The British have given unceasing attention to the bayonet fighting drill in the last two years. The month of training in England has been supplemented by post graduate courses in the great training camps in France and continued as the units passed down through the corps into divisions, brigades and battalions. The night before the Arras attack some sergeants could be heard giving their platoons last instructions. One of these groups formed a curious picture in the moonlight where all the air was electric with preparations for the coming clash at dawn.

Traffic along the road leading toward the point of contact with the enemy suddenly stopped because of a temporary block. The throbbing motor engines were throttled down to an almost inaudible purr; the tired horses dragging army wagons or artillery limbers stood with the stillness of nearly exhausted animals. Their drivers' head dropped limp as they snatched a few moments of sleep. The mystic sort of silence which settled down was broken by the racuous voice with which Sergeants always impress their wondering subordinates.

Sergeant Instructs Men.

This particular Sergeant's men were facing each other for thrust and parry exercise. They were not to take part in the first rushes of the morning, but going in later in the day to press the attack on the third and fourth lines. And there was yet time to give them final advice.

The Sergeant's commands seemed to have a ring in them like the clashes of the steel they directed. "Come along, come along," he said, "let me see a little more murder in them eyes. Get some more viciousness behind you. Your bloomin' rifle ain't no baby."

The Sergeant gave much more telling advice than this and the drill ceased amid great chaffing.

The correspondent stopped the Sergeant as he came along the road and asked: "Will your men remember all that?"

"No, sir, they won't remember it all," was the frank reply, "but what they do rememoer will help."

GERMAN FACTIONS TALK PEACE AS IF WAR WERE ENDING

Chancellor Hollweg, Storm Center of Arguments, Virtually Has Lost Power as Leader.

MINERS ARE RESTLESS

Chancellor Warns Labor Against Interfering With Manufacture of Munitions.

By CYRIL BROWN,
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

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COPENHAGEN, April 27.—With a decisive battle on in the west and which apparently will last all summer, German factions are in as bitter controversies over the war aims as if peace were actually imminent.

The phenomenon of an impassioned polemic over annexation or no annexation, indemnity or no idemnity, at the very climax of the war, while the fate of the empire is hanging in the balance, could only happen in Germany, where the confidence in their military position is such that they feel they can indulge with impunity in fighting behind the front over the peace terms.

A feature of the inner political struggle is that the cleavage of public opinion is so marked as apparently to be unbridgeable by any compromise which the Chancellor might make. Extremes meet, however, in the common determination to seize the present moment and force that Chancellor to publicly state the Government's concrete war aims. The Socialists are pressing Bethmann-Hollweg hard, so hard as to state today that he is unequivocally opposed to annexation in both east and west.

Want War Aim Statement.

The Socialists want the Chancellor to go even farther and put himself on record as seeking no war indemnity, and there is a strong Socialist movement to force the Chancellor to formulate Germany's war aims specifically as the inevitable basis for further peace propaganda.

The Socialists also hint at trouble if their demands are not complied with speedily, the present temper of the Social-Democrat masses being such as to cause justifiable concern to the imperial Government, which has just had a foretaste of the strike possibilities, even though revolution is unthinkable.

The conservatives and other annexationists are putting up a fight against the Socialist and Democratic efforts to force the Chancellor to side openly with them. The conservative publicists and leaders see the Fatherland driving toward the brink of the abyss, and in patriotic alarm brand the Socialist tide as catastrophic if allowed to continue.

They call upon the Chancellor to play the strong man and make a front against the Socialist menace, while Bethmann-Holweg, vainly trying to pour the oil of semi-official rhetoric in the Nord Deutsche Allgemaine Zeitung on the ruffled partisan sea, is continuing his policy of delay and procrastination in the matter of war aims and peace conditions, thus satisfying neither side.

While not making himself any more loved by the Conservative and pan-Germans, he is still further alienating his already disillusioned Liberal and Socialist supporters. Throughout the present peace controversy I have heard not one good word said for the Chancellor, whose position is apparently becoming one of isolation.

Convinced Peace Is Near.

It is worth nothing that, for practical purposes there no longer exists in Germany today any internal political censorship, and the press enjoys freedom to discuss war aims and peace conditions. This has resulted in a remarkable volume of peace talk, and there is significance, too, in the increasing number of German voices, authoritative and otherwise, proclaiming that peace is nearer than is generally believed.

Delusion or not, the fact remains that many Germans are firmly convinced peace is only a few months off. Even the Berlin Bourse, which is always a sensitive barometer, is strong under the sign of spring peace fever, the firm tone of the Bourse, according to a financial expert being "strengthened by numerous indications of the increasing need for peace."

The only material basis for the authoritative German view that peace is now not far off is the German belief that Russia's offensive power has been broken; that the present struggle in the West is the last and decisive battle of the war; and that the submarine war is working like clockwork, so that the point of time when it will have achieved its purpose may be calculated on with certainty.

The German censorship is wide open so far as peace talk is concerned, the fear that German peace talk will be misinterpreted by the enemy as a sign of weakness, thus serving to encourage them to fight on, being overbalanced by the beneficial effect on strikers and potential strikes or of the widest publicity being given to the idea that peace is not far off.

Germany's Munitions Chief Makes Appeal to Strikers to Work

AMSTERDAM, April 27.

BERLIN newspapers publish an appeal made by Gen. Groener, director of munitions supplies, which has been placarded in all public places. He says:

"Our army needs arms and munitions. Did you not read Hindenburg's letter? How dare you defy him?

"He will be a mean hound who does not work so long as the army stands opposite the enemy. The worst enemies are among us. They are small minded people, and those who instigate a strike must be branded before the nation as traitors to the fatherland and to the army. Those who listen to their words are cowards.

"Who dares to stop when Hindenburg commands him to work? We are not far from the goal. The nation's existence is at stake."

SAFE CONDUCT OFFER IGNORED

Norwegian Ship Owners Find German Conditions Impossible.

CHRISTIANA, via London, April 27.—The German official announcement of a safe conduct for neutral steamers leaving British ports on May 1, is regarded by the Norwegian press as a repetition of the bogus offer of last March, nullified by impossible conditions.

Ship owners accepting the German safe conduct would have to guarantee that their boats would not traffic with entente countries. No Norwegian ship owners have accepted the offer.

THREE MEN KILLED IN AN AUTO

Result of Accident Near South Bethlehem, Pa.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., April 27.—Three South Bethlehem men were killed in an automobile accident near here early today. They were: Hugh Kelley, a Justice of the Peace; Hugh P. McFadden, a bottler, and Robert K. Berkemeyer, a former Councilman.

Alderman to Obey Ballot Rule.

At the instance of President Aloe of the Board of Aldermen, members yesterday voted to obey the rule that, in balloting, the Aldermen actually respond to the roll call if they are present. The practice heretofore has been to count in the affirmative all who, if present, failed to vote negatively.

BALFOUR REPORTS TO ENGLAND ON HIS RECEPTION HERE

Progress of Negotiations Will Be "Joyous News for British People," He Says.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Arthur James Balfour, head of Great Britain's mission here, today sent to England his first report of the reception accorded the commission and the progress of negotiations, which, it was stated on behalf of the commission, would be "very joyous news for the British people." This, Mr. Balfour's first report, will be made public through the London official press bureau.

Mr. Balfour, it was stated, is eager to make the whole situation a matter of popular knowledge and interest in both countries and to lay not only before the two Governments, but before the two peoples through the press all possible details except of course military and naval information.

Rear Admiral Sir Dudley R. S. de Chair was today presented by Secretary Daniels at the Navy Department to the heads of all the various bureaus for an intimate discussion with the specialists on each line as to submarines, patrol, blockade, construction and kindred subjects. Formal conferences of the heads of the commission from which major announcements will be issued are not now expected. On the other hand, there will be constant informal conferences of individuals charged with the various aspects of the situation at which no definite decisions may be reached at the moment. These conferences will result in agreements which, when approved, will be made public so far as possible.

Lord Cunliffe, Governor of the Bank of England, went to New York today to confer with various bankers. The change in status of this country from a neutral loaning money and financing sales through private institutions to an ally loaning money through the Government and probably also overseeing purchases in some way requires a general realignment.

Foreign Minister Balfour devoted most of yesterday to arranging the distribution of the subjects to be taken up in conference. The actual beginning of formal conferences has been delayed both by the amount of information to be prepared for American Government officials and by the desire to postpone them until the French commission could take part.

The discussions are said to have brought about complete agreement by British and American officials as to main principles involved. In addition to the formal statement by Mr. Balfour Wednesday that no treaty or alliance was sought, and to the financial arrangement which has already produced a $200,000,000 loan to Great Britain, it became known that Mr. Balfour and Secretary McAdoo had agreed on the general principles affecting such momentous subjects as shipping, banking, trade and exchange.

Submarine Situation Discussed.

British naval and military officials also have been in conference with American officials. The effect of the conferences on the naval policy of the Government probably will be apparent only in the construction policy. The British officials are known to have submitted detailed information of the submarine situation and it is understood that their statements have strengthened the view that construction work should be concentrated upon vessels especially suited for combatting the undersea menace.

Mr. Balfour passed a busy day yesterday at his offices. He lunched at the British embassy, dined at home, took a ride in the afternoon and paid his official call upon French visitors.

Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, the Chinese Minister, called on Mr. Balfour in the afternoon on what is generally considered to have been an important mission. China, having followed the example of the United States in severing relations with Germany, now is on the brink of actual war. Her Premier, Cabinet and Council of Governors of all the provinces have voted in favor of war and her Parliament is said to be practically unanimous. Negotiations have been under way for a long time to fix China's position among the entente nations, and it is thought that Dr. Koo took advantage of Mr. Balfour's presence here to discuss the situation further, especially along the lines on which he already has discussed it with the American Government.

EAST ST. LOUIS SAFE ROBBED

Department Store Proprietors Say $700 and Jewelry Were Taken.

Yeggmen blew the safe in the department store of Esserman & Losis, 131-137 St. Clair avenue, East St. Louis, before daylight this morning, and the proprietors report that $700 and jewelry valued at $200 to $300 was taken.

The robbers entered by prying the front transom.

GARDNER TAKES COUNSEL ON INFORMATION FOR WASHINGTON

JEFFERSON CITY, April 27.—Gov. Gardner and Attorney-General McAllister are in conference today upon important information they have been asked to furnish the War Department immediately.

Gov. Gardner said instructions from the department asked that the matters under consideration be kept secret until they have been accomplished.

It is believed that the Federal authorities are seeking information as to how best to ascertain the names of all men who will be liable for military service under the selective draft law which is expected to pass Congress this week.

100 PER CENT INCREASE IN DEMURRAGE CHARGES MAY 1

Agreement Reached by Railroads of Country and Shippers of Industrial Traffic League.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The railroads of the country and the chief shippers represented in the National Industrial Traffic League, have agreed upon a 100 per cent increase in demurrage charges over the rate in effect prior to Dec. 1 last, when emergency rates were prescribed by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The new rates, which will go into affect May 1, provide charges of $3 per day on each car detained for loading, after arrival at its destination, for the first four days and $5 per days thereafter.

MISTRIAL IN BRONSON CASE

Majority of Jury in State Senator's Trial Reported for Acquittal.

FORSYTH, Mo., April 27.—The trial of State Senator Solomon E. Bronson of Ozark, charged with embezzlement of funds of the Finley Building and Loan Association of Ozark, of which he was secretary, resulted last night in a failure of the jury to agree on a verdict. It was discharged by Circuit Judge Stewart. It was reported the jury stood 8 to 4 for acquittal.

The case was one of five against Senator Bronson, who took a change of venue from Christian County, his home, to Taney County.

Special Flag Supplement Free.

Readers of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and suburbs will get a flag free. It is printed on good paper with brilliant inks, all CUT OUT ready to be "stuck" in your window. Mucilage comes with it.

VIEWS ON DRAFT OF CONGRESSMEN FROM MISSOURI

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icism of his attitude by others than Gerard, especially his constituents in Missouri, he said: "I cannot set out my position more fully than I did in my speech."

Representative Joshua W. Alexander, Third District: I find quite a difference of opinion in my district. I will support the selective draft. This, however, does not affect my vote.

Representative Charles F. Booher, Fourth District: I am for the Dent bill—the volunteer system. If beaten, I will support the other bill.

Representative Paul D. Decker, Fifteenth District: I think now I will vote for the selective draft.

Representative William L. Igoe, Eleventh District: I will vote for the selective draft. That has been my position all along.

Representative Courtney W. Hamlin, Seventh District: The symposium looks like a very fair and impartial outline of the feelings of the people. I have always stood by the President. My vote will speak for itself when it is made.

Representative William P. Borland, Fifth District: My own information is along the same line as that in the Post-Dispatch. I think the Congressmen who are voting for the War Department and administration bill will represent the majority sentiment of Missouri.

Representative Joseph J. Russell, Fourteenth District: The statements in the paper had no influence on me. I had already made a speech for conscription and will vote for it.

Representative Thomas L. Rubey, Sixteenth District: "I have read the symposium. You will get my vote on that roll call tomorrow."

Representative Jacob E. Meeker, Tenth District: "The Symposium only gives evidence that Missouri is right in line with the rest of the nation. Mothers have just discovered that the selective plan eliminates the possibility of children getting in the army. It makes this a man's war. The symposium of the State shows virtually the same sentiment as shown in messages from my district. Letters and telegrams from stores, factories and offices and from the professions, and women's organizations are for it. It is practical, democratic and goes on the assumption that all men are ready to serve when America is pitted against an opponent."

Representative Walter L. Hensley, Thirteenth District: "I may vote for the Kahn amendment—that is, for conscription. It is going to carry, anyway. Rather than be misunderstood I am willing to vote against what I think is best—the volunteer plan—although I firmly believe if the people understod it as presented on the floor of the House they would be for it."

Representative Milton A. Romjue, First District: "I favor the volunteer system first. I have read the symposium."

Representative Clement C. Dickinson, Sixth District: "I have been for conscription from the start, with my mind open as to some of the amendments."

Representative Leonidas C. Dyer, Twelfth District: "I will vote for the selective draft."

Representative William W. Rucker, Second District, declined to discuss symposium and Representative Dorsey W. Shackleford, Eighth District, has not been located.

FINAL ARGUMENTS ON WAR ARMY BILL MADE IN THE HOUSE

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that 750,000 tons of merchant shipping have been destroyed in the last 30 days," said he. "At this rate—and without any question the number of submarines is increasing—how long will Great Britain be able to hold out? If by the use of these unseen instrumentalities Great Britain could be eliminated from this war, demoralized Russia would fall in a week, brave France would be crushed, our foreign commerce would be destroyed and stagnation would hold in its grip the populous cities of the country."

The Senator did not indicate his position on the bill.

Enlistments in the army since April 1, Senator Calder declared, show the failure of the volunteer system and "sustain completely the argument that the United States cannot raise an adequate force by that system."

"Talk of raising a million men over night is nonsense," he said. "The United States has been actually at war for three weeks and the ranks of the regular army and national guard have been open to more than 600,000 volunteers. They are still open—wide open—and the volunteers are coming in slowly."

60 AUTO WORKERS ON STRIKE

President of Dorris Co. Says Men Can Return Only as Individuals.

Sixty machinists and assemblers employed by the Dorris Motor Co., Laclede avenue and Sarah street, went on strike yesterday afternoon after W. K. Colcord, president of the company, had refused to read a written demand which they presented to him.

Colcord said today that he did not know exactly what the demands were, but that he understood they were for an eight-hour day and increased wages. He said the men could return to work if they applied individually, but that he would not deal with them collectively. He added that union men not in the employ of the company presented the demands and that he refused to have anything to do with them. He said there are 90 other employes, who are not union men, and who remained at work. The machinists and assemblers, he said, are paid from 40c to 44c an hour.

Thursday's Comparison

Our St. Louis merchants (as they have done every day this week) made the Post-Dispatch a 1 to 3 favorite yesterday when they bought

100 Cols.

in the Post-Dispatch alone and on the same day only

78 Cols.

in three out of all four of the other St. Louis newspapers combined.

The 22 cols. excess of the Post-Dispatch over these 3 other papers all added together in volume of Home-Merchants' advertising represents its customary daily "beat," and close observers rightly attribute this continued leadership to a

CIRCULATION THAT SELLS THE GOODS

91% in St. Louis and suburbs.
Average entire year 1916:

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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING."



Lowney's Chocolates

Freshly supplied to progressive merchants in your town by the
A. J. WALTER FACTORY, 14-28 So. Third St., St. Louis, Mo.

The Walter M. Lowney Co., Boston, Massachusetts

If Your Loved Ones Were Blind

And you should die tonight—and go straight to heaven—

And in about a year your little blind girl came up to where you were, and you should say to her—"How's Mamma getting along down there?"

And she should say—

"Mamma's having a hard time to make ends meet—The State Commission for the Blind is out of funds—she is sitting on the street corner with a battered tin cup in her hand."—

That would be bad news—yes, bad news from home—

And a year later—your little blind boy came on up to where you were—and you should ask the same question—"How's Mamma getting along down there?"—and he should say—

"The little dog that led Mamma around died the other day and she can't find her way to the street corner any more"—

That would be bad news—yes, bad news from home—

And finally your last little child died and came on up to where you were and you asked—"How's Mamma getting along down there?"—and she would say—

"The Association Shop for the Blind has been closed—the cupboard is empty. Mamma's clothes are ragged and torn—she is just wasting away, literally starving to death"—

That would be bad news—yes, bad news from home—

Yes, if your loved ones were blind you would want somebody to hear their pitiful plea for help—wouldn't you—

As they asked—

Help us to help ourselves—

The Association Shop for the Blind has been closed—
The State Commission for the B ind is out of funds—

COUPON

We need fifty thousand dollars to carry on this work for the next two years. Detach this coupon and send it to James C. Jones, Chairman, 1002 Third National Bank Building, St. Louis, Mo.

I am interested in caring for the blind and helping them to help themselves—you may count on me for

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Name..... Address.....

SEND YOUR CHECK TODAY

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Scenes Attending the Arrival of the French Commission at Washington



French Commission being greeted by Secretary Lansing on its arrival in Washington. In the foreground are Secretary Lansing (hat in hand), Field Marshal Joffre (in full uniform) and Premier Viviani (talking to Joffre).



French Commissioners and their escort arriving at mansion which the Government has leased for them.



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FIELD MARSHAL JOFFRE.

ENLISTMENTS FOR NAVY IN ST. LOUIS 929 BELOW QUOTA

Only 271 Men of 1200 Wanted Obtained Since Campaign Opened April 1.

Two hundred and seventy-one recruits for the United States Navy have been obtained, up to this morning, in the recruiting campaign which began April 1, for the raising of a quota of 1200 men, assigned to St. Louis and the St. Louis district. This district includes all Missouri except Jackson and Buchanan counties (Kansas City and St. Joseph), and the southern part of Illinois. To fill up the quota, 929 men are needed.

The time for raising the quota ends one week from tomorrow. Mayor Kiel, in a proclamation issued yesterday, called attention to the fact that the St. Louis district is the "fourth from the bottom" in the proportion of its quota which has been raised. He called for enlistments, to rid St. Louis of the reproach of being a "slacker city."

In his proclamation, the Mayor used round numbers and so made the number recruited somewhat larger, and the number still to be raised smaller than it is. The text of his proclamation is:

Mayor's Proclamation.

"Your country needs 30,000 men for the navy immediately.

"St. Louis, especially, and the rest of Missouri with the exception of Jackson and Buchanan counties, and the southern part of Illinois, have been requested to furnish 1200 men—this district's share.

"We are today 900 men short of our quota, and we have only seven days more in which to recruit them. The fourth city in the United States in population is the fourth from the bottom in recruiting for the navy. This fact, shameful as it is, has been sent throughout the nation.

"Therefore, it is the duty of every resident of St. Louis, the center of this recruiting district, to do everything in his and her power to bring in this city's share.

"More than 100 men should be recruited in St. Louis each day. I appeal to every citizen to do 'his bit.' If you cannot join, if you have no son to offer, you can speak and advise some ambitious, clean youth to visit the navy recruiting office, 114 North Seventh street. Officers are there to explain that sea duty starts 10 days after enlistment. Conscription will not help the navy. The sailors must be volunteers.

"Every loyal St. Louisan should put his shoulder to the wheel and pull this city out of the 'slacker class.'"

Lieut. E. D. Langworthy, in charge of naval recruiting, has asked business men to aid the campaign by buying advertising space in the newspapers, and has asked that women who have automobiles use them in getting recruits.

One of yesterday's naval recruits was Ralph C. Becker of 6088 Raymond avenue, son of Mrs. Gus V. R. Mechin, president of the St. Louis Woman's Council.

Invest in U. S. War Bonds

The St. Louis Union Bank—Member Federal Reserve System of the United States—will handle your subscription without charge.

Express Wagon Robbed.

A Wells Fargo Express wagon was driven away by thieves last evening from in front of 815 North Eighth street while the driver, William Bunselmeier, was busy in a nearby building. The wagon was found two hours later in the Carr street police district. Twenty packages containing merchandise valued at about $1000 were missing.

SAYS MRS. BACON GAVE QUIT CLAIM DEED TO HEART

Michael J. Hurley Testifies He Was Betrothed to Widow, but She Broke Engagement.

Michael J. Hurley of Webster Groves, former secretary of the Central Paint and Supply Co., in a deposition given at Clayton today, testified that he was once engaged to Mrs. Jessie B. Bacon of Gothenberg, Neb., but that she gave him "a quitclaim deed to his affections."

Mrs. Bacon, a widow, is now suing Hurley and officers of the South Webster Park Realty Co. to recover $70,000 worth of collateral which she pledged for a real estate loan and which she alleges was sold without her knowledge to satisfy the loan.

Hurley attained notoriety about three years ago when the Baroness Barbara von Kalinowski of Germany sued him for $2,500,000, alleging breach of promise. The suit later was thrown out of court. Since filing her damage suit Mrs. Bacon has threatened a breach of promise action against Hurley.

Says He's a Farmer Now.

At the opening of his deposition today Hurley gave his occupation as farmer. He said he formerly was in the paint and oil business but was now "unattached." He also volunteered the information that he had been a railroad engineer and conductor and once ran a saloon at Pine Bluff, Ark.

W. Christy Bryan, now counsel for Mrs. Bacon, was attorney for Hurley in the Baroness von Kalinowski breach of promise suit. The plaintiff in that action also was known as "Baroness Bab."

In answer to questions by Bryan, Hurley said he had known Mrs. Bacon five or six years.

We became engaged in 1912, and the engagement lasted seven or eight months. It was broken in June, 1913, I believe," said Hurley.

"Didn't you get a release from her in October, 1914," asked Bryan.

"No, the engagement was broken by Mrs. Bacon."

Hurley testified he first met Mrs. Bacon at the Continental Hotel in Paris in 1912 and "saw more or less of her after that." He left Paris in July or August, 1912, and later she met him in New York and he saw her frequently, he said.

"Did you see her in the Mullanphy Hospital in St. Louis when you were a patient there?"

"Yes."

"Did you see her frequently after that?"

"From then until she gave me a quit claim deed to my affections I saw little of her."

Hurley testified that he arranged to make a loan of $35,000 to Mrs. Bacon on property which she owned in Nebraska and that he furnished the money for the loan, though it was made in another name because he did not want Mrs. Bacon to know of his financial condition.

"Why was that loan made?" he was asked.

"I arranged it as an inducement for her to drop a contemplated breach of promise suit and turn over letters I had written to her."

"Did you see her of your own free will at the Mullanphy Hospital?"

"I did not," Hurley replied. "She broke into my room at various times, notwithstanding the interference of doctors and nurses. She wanted me to leave the hospital and go with her to some place in Maine."

Reverting to the engagement, Hurley said: "I didn't break the engagement off. She did it, because I wouldn't leave the hospital. She broke it off and I never permitted it to be put on again."

Hurley said the first time he saw Mrs. Bacon after leaving the hospital was when she went to the Jefferson Hotel and demanded that he see her.

Had Dictaphone Put In.

Addressing Attorney Bryan, he said: "That was when you and I had a dictaphone put in an adjoining room for my protection. It was about the time of the Baroness Bab suit. I tried to get Mrs. Bacon not to have anything to do with that crowd of adventurers."

Hurley testified that up to that time he thought Mrs. Bacon was financially "well fixed," but that it developed at the Jefferson Hotel interview that she was "broke."

Hurley testified that he got part of his letters back from Mrs. Bacon at one time and part at another time, but he had to threaten to foreclose on the $35,000 loan before she would consent to give them back. When he called off the foreclosure, he said, Mrs. Bacon gave him the balance of the letters and a quitclaim deed to his affections."

"I destroyed the letters," he said.

"Why did you do that?"

"I wanted to forget about it."

EAST ST. LOUIS SENTIMENT FOR CONSCRIPTION BY 4 TO 1

Woman, Two Pastors, Retail Merchant and Physician Give Views on Question.

Following the action of the Board of Directors of the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce in advising Congressmen and Senators to vote for the conscription bill, a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday sought expressions of opinion on the measure from persons selected at random, with the following result:

Mrs. Leslie Allen, president of the Woman's Civic Federation: I believe in conscription. I think it is the only way. My only son will be eligible for service under it.

The Rev. T. S. Bannan of St. Joseph's Catholic Church: I think that if a majority of the people want war they should be able to raise the necessary army by the volunteer system.

George Seibert, president of the Retail Merchants' Association: Conscription is the only plan to raise an army. The other way takes the fellows who will work first, and leaves the loafers, who are no good, at home.

The Rev. George W. Allison, First Baptist Church: I strongly favor conscription. It is the logical conclusion of democracy. The welfare of the whole demands that the individual subvert his feelings when he is opposed to the great majority. The volunteer plan always has been a failure.

W. R. Raney, physician: I spent three months on the western front with the Red Cross, and I know that conscription is the only practicable plan.

45 MEN ENLIST IN RESPONSE TO ILLINOIS CHAPLAIN'S JEER

He Questioned Whether Anyone at Enthusiastic Meeting Would Go to War.

CHICAGO, April 27.—As the result of a jeer by the chaplain of the First Illinois Infantry, 45 men were recruited at the patriotic rally held last night by the business men of Woodlawn, a South Side suburb. The recruits joined the army, navy and marine corps.

The meeting was full of enthusiasm when Capt. Irving Goff McCann, the chaplain, rose to speak.

"You have worked yourself into a fine fervor of patriotism," he said, "but I'll venture to say there is not a man in the crowd who intends to show his patriotism by enlisting."

A recruiting Sergeant stood in the rear of the hall and 45 men answered the chaplain's challenge by making application for enlistment.

With Sea Food.

GIRL TAKES ACID WHEN TOLD MOTHER CAN'T CARE FOR HER

She Had Sent Message to Parent in Fornfelt, Mo., Asking If She Might Come Home.

Miss St. Clair Clark, 17 years old, of Fornfelt, Mo., tried to end her life last night at the Woodford Hotel, Fifteenth and Market streets.

She had sent a message to her mother Mrs. Nellie Clark, asking if she might return home. Shortly after midnight Dennis Ammons, a railroad fireman, went to the hotel with the mother's reply. She said she was financially unable to look after her daughter's welfare.

"Wait a minute," said Miss Clark, as she entered her room. "I want you to take another message to mother when you go back to Fornfelt." She locked the door and Ammons, after waiting for some time, called the hotel clerk. The door was forced open and Miss Clark was found unconscious. A bottle which had contained carbolic acid was on a dresser. She was taken to the city hospital, where physicians said that her condition was serious.

SHOOTS SILENT FRIEND AT DOOR

Man Fires When Caller Fails to Tell Who He Is.

At 2 o'clock this morning there was a knock at the door of the home of John Yule, 1019 Dillon street, and Yule inquired from a second floor window what was wanted. There was no reply and Yule fired. Half an hour later there was another knock and Yule again went to the window. John Budlong of 1209 Dillon street, a friend of Yule, was at the door. He was the earlier caller and Yule had wounded him in the right thigh.

Budlong said he called to tell Yule something but he had forgotten what it was. Budlong was started to the city hospital in an ambulance, but jumped out. He was found several hours later at home and taken to the hospital. Yule was taken to the Soulard street station.

NEW COUNSEL IN ARSON CASE

S. S. Bass notified Circuit Judge Shields today that he and his son, Sigmund Bass, of the law firm of Major & Revelle, have been employed as counsel for Julius F. Bersch, Harold G. Gilmore and Harry C. Ihmel, charged with burning the establishment of the Gilmore-Donzig Decorating Co., 4455 Olive street, July 24, 1915.

A mistrial was caused recently when, after evidence had been heard for two weeks, a juror revealed an effort to bribe him. Patrick H. Cullen and Thomas Fauntleroy, attorneys for the defendants, then withdrew from the case.

Janitor Arrested as Deserter.

Francis J. Roach, 24 years old, a janitor employed at 5542 Kingsbury place, was arrested last night on a charge of having deserted the navy. He admitted, the police said, that he took "French leave" from the navy yards at Goat Island, Cal., in 1914, because he "didn't like the officers."

MANY REPORTED KILLED BY AN EARTHQUAKE IN ITALY

Considerable Material Damage in Section Near Scene of Death of Thousands in 1915.

LONDON, April 27.—A violent earthquake in Tuscany and Umbria is reported in a Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. to have occurred on Thursday morning. Many persons are reported killed at Monterchi, near Arezzo, the capital of the province of that name. Considerable material damage is also reported.

The Province of Umbria is directly north of the Province of Abruzzo Ultra II, which was devastated by the tremendous earthquake of Jan. 13, 1915. In this latter disaster 24,203 people lost their lives and 50 towns and villages were wiped out.

ART AWARDS TOMORROW

Three New York Men to Be Judges in Guild Competition.

Robert Henri, George Bellows and A. Stirling Calder, three notable artists from New York, will arrive in St. Louis this evening to do the judging tomorrow at the annual competition of local art at the Artists' Guild. The awards will be announced by the jury at the Guild dinner tomorrow evening.

Prizes aggregating $1300 are offered, including a grand prize of $500 by the St. Louis Art League for the best piece of art in the exhibition, and another of $250 by the Chamber of Commerce for the best painting of a scene in St. Louis.

Patrolman Suspended.

Patrolman George F. Loucks, Page Boulevard District, was suspended from duty at 2:30 o'clock this morning after a police surgeon had pronounced him to be under the influence of liquor. Loucks said he had drunk no liquor and explained his condition by saying that he was suffering from chills and fever.

How to Relieve Catarrhal Deafness or Head Noises.

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily prepare in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmint (Double Strength). This will not cost you more than 75c. Take this home and add to it ½ pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easy, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc. should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucous dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this efficacious treatment. If nearly ninety per cent. of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh, there must be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple home treatment.—ADV.

MORE SEEK COMMISSIONS AS ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS

Applications of 91 Persons Accepted and They Will Begin Three Months' Intensive Training at Fort Riley, Kan., on May 8.

Candidates for commissions as reserve officers, who are expected to supply 10,000 officers for the first half-million troops called to the colors, continued to present themselves this morning at the United States Army Recruiting Office, Third and Olive streets, and at the First Regiment Armory, where the tests are being conducted.

In all 91 applicants have been accepted here and notified to present themselves May 8 at Fort Riley, Kan., where they will receive three months' intensive training. The examinations began yesterday.

Maj. George W. Goode who, with Capt. Wallace Craigie, composes the examining board at the army recruiting office, stated that of the 2500 men to be trained at Fort Riley about one-third, or 833, have been allotted to Missouri. St. Louis' quota, on a basis of population, would be 215. Thus far Maj. Goode has received 141 applications, mostly from St. Louisans.

More Men Desired.

There is room at Fort Riley for several hundred more, and men willing to take the course are urged without delay to obtain application blanks from Maj. Goode, fill them out, and send them to the Commanding General, Central Department, Federal Building, Chicago. If the applications are approved there the candidates will be notified by mail where to present themselves for examination. On passing the test, they will be eligible for the course, all the expense of which, including transportation, food and clothing, is borne by the Government. A bill pending in Congress, if passed, will in addition provide pay of $100 a month for those taking the training.

Candidates are urged to obtain their application blanks today, as the correspondence with Chicago may consume several days. Maj. Goode announced that he would close the examinations here next Thursday, and that in the meantime he will conduct tests from 10 a. m. every morning until as late an hour at night as is necessary.

Every man between the ages of 20 years and 9 months, and 44, who satisfies the examining officers as to his educational equipment, personality, physical fitness and probable ability to win the respect of officers and men, is eligible to the offer. Previous military experience is desired, but total lack of it is no bar. A considerable proportion of the applicants here have been college men, but many men of high school training have been accepted.

At the First Regiment Armory during the morning Capt. Lochlin W. Caffey, U. S. A., examined and accepted seven applicants. Most of them were college students.

At Jefferson Barracks Capt. O. H. Sampson had one examination scheduled for the afternoon.

Maj. Goode announces that most of the men taking the course at Fort Riley will be certain to obtain commissions, although some, it is feared, may prove inadequate to the demands of the service.

"The Government is hard up for officers," Maj. Goode said, "and will be liberal and punctilious in awarding credits. When a man has passed the tests here, it is almost certain that he will win a commission."

Capt. Sampson stated that passing the examination is virtually equivalent to assurance of a commission, if the Fort Riley training course is taken. According to the proficiency of the aspirants in the course, they may win commissions ranging from Second Lieutenant to Major in the Officers' Reserve Corps of the Regular Army. Whether they will carry these commissions into the new army has not yet been worked out, but the men trained in the camps are expected to be called upon to officer the first 500,000 troops raised, or to fill vacancies caused by casualties in the regular army.

Camp for Four States.

The encampment at Fort Riley will represent the four states of Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Colorado. Other camps in the Middle West beginning May 8 are two at Fort Benjamin Harrison, for Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky; two at Fort Sheridan, for Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin, and one at Fort Snelling, for Minnesota, Iowa, North and South Dakota and Nebraska. Each camp will receive a maximum number of 2500 attendants.

The object of each camp is the training and selection of officers for a full division and one additional cavalry regiment. The attendants will be divided into 15 infantry companies for the first month, and all will be trained alike for that period. At the beginning of the second month they will be organized, according to the preferences stated by candidates in their applications, into nine infantry companies, two cavalry troops, three artillery batteries and one engineer company, for the remaining two months.

The attendant must sign an oath of enlistment for three months, but this pledge imposes no obligation to serve beyond the period of the encampment except as a commissioned officer of the Officers' Reserve Corps.

The men applying for training here are picked men, concerning whom Maj. Goode stated he had never met a finer class of military material, both physical and mental. One applicant stated that he was a graduate of three universities, including Harvard and Yale; a large proportion of them all were college graduates or college students. Many were former members of the Missouri National Guard and had seen service on the border; some had taken training in the Military Training Corps, formerly the Officers' Reserve Corps of St. Louis; and others were graduates of military academies. Among the candidates were lawyers, brokers, business men and sons of wealthy families. The average age was around 28, and many of the men explained their eagerness to enter this branch of training because, in case conscription comes, the first draft of men will not reach as high as their ages.

The chief part of the examinations is physical, and the only candidate rejected yesterday was refused because of weakness of the heart. Lungs, heart, ears and eyes are carefully examined.

The mental examination is not written, and does not attempt to deal with any of the practical questions of military service. The candidate takes a chair in the presence of the examiners and they, by observation and by putting questions, test his general education and mental alertness, with the purpose of getting at whether he has the personality to stand as a man among other officers and enlisted men.

Yesterday afternoon Charles B. McCormack, 4522 Westminster place, took

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Save Eggs Now for Next Winter

Coat With Egg-O-Latum—Keep Perfectly—Use When Worth Double or Treble.

Remember what you paid for eggs last winter—40 cents to 60 cents a dozen? They'll be higher next winter, because hens are fewer and the demand greater.

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Perhaps even now you are on the perilous hill and Nature is telling you so by many alarm-bells in your system. Heed these warnings—check your dangerous course along the hill that leads to no good end.

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69 MEN JOIN THE OFFICERS' RESERVES, MORE ARE WANTED

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two sons, Royden C. and Stewart, to the examination rooms in the old Custom House. Royden passed during the afternoon and Stewart was accepted this morning at the First Regiment Armory. A third son, Dr. Noble Du Bois McCormack of the Barnes Hospital staff, has enlisted for five years in the medical corps of the army. Their mother, as a member of the local Red Cross Chapter, is doing sewing on hospital supplies.

In order to stimulate the State into supplying its full quota of men for the Fort Riley camp, Albert T. Perkins and Ira Wight of St. Louis yesterday sent out letters to leading men in every county, asking them to encourage available men in their communities to apply at once.

The applicants accepted up to this morning at the old Custom House, and those accepted at the First Regiment Armory today, are as follows:

Berthoud Glifford, clerk, 4415 West Pine boulevard; James E. Smith Jr., 8 Lenox place, son of James E. Smith, director of Third National Bank; W. H. Schaumberg, student, 3631 Connecticut street; Clinton J. Masseck, assistant professor of English, Washington University; Charles S. Drew, contracting freight agent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, 501 Clara avenue; James E. Darst, night editor of the Globe-Democrat, 4412A Laclede avenue; Guy F. Donohoe, with Modern Hospital Publishing Co., 3719 Washington avenue; Gustav C. Taussig, assistant secretary, St. Louis Smelting and Refining Co., 3780 Westminster place; G. Lester Gruner, salesman, 5855 Von Versen avenue; Benjamin F. Thomas, real estate, 2055 Locust street; Theodore White, St. Louis representative of the bond department of Harris Trust and Savings Bank, Chicago; Thomas B. Crews Jr., manager of the Vulcan Valve Co. and son of Judge Thomas B. Crews, Washington Hotel; Percy R. Blackmer, salesman for Blackmer & Post Pipe Co., 501 Clara avenue; James O. Sampson, salesman, 2029 Eads avenue; Atwell T. Lincoln of Lincoln & Lincoln, leather dealers, 5167 Waterman avenue; Thomas J. Christmann Jr., draftsman, 1330 Laurel avenue; Edward R. Handlan, son of A. M. Handlan, president of the Handlan-Buck Manufacturing Co., 4954 Lindell boulevard; John R. Mick, student at St. Louis University, 3901 Westminster place; R. Newton McDowell, insurance, 5917 Washington avenue; Robert C. Clifford, sales agent, United States Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., 4415 West Pine boulevard; Alvin D. Hatten, student, St. Louis University, 3901 Westminster place. John Hill McKinney, reporter, 4605 Maryland avenue; Arthur G. Frankel, assistant manager Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland, 2348 Arkansas avenue; John J. O'Fallon Jr., stepsonof William S. McChesney, president of the Terminal Association, 4406 McPherson avenue; Robert C. Duffin, treasurer St. Louis Roofing Co., 777 Belt avenue; Neville C. Fisher, lawyer, 5184 Kensington avenue; Sidney E. Bears, architect, 5844A Easton avenue; Henry C. Patterson, clerk, 3315 Flad avenue; William W. Blelock, student, 5397 Waterman avenue; John S. Lehmann, attorney, son of Frederick W. Lehmann, former Solicitor-General of the United States, 10 Benton place; R. Jewett Jones, investment bonds, 535 Clara avenue; Kendall Harrison, poet and advertising man, 1127 Pine street, Royden C. McCormack, member of the firm of Charles B. McCormack & Sons, contractors, 4523 Westminster place; Frank L. Scott Jr., student, 5561 Waterman avenue; Frederick R. Hammond, student, 4189 Flad avenue; Charles J. Riley, student, 3811 Westminster place; Joseph J. Cooney, student, 4512 McPherson avenue; Henry C. Bryan, insurance, 4346 McPherson avenue; Frank B. Rowan, student, 4434 McPherson avenue; Stewart McCormack, postgraduate student of architecture at Washington University, 4522 Westminster place; Theodore W. Crossen, student, 5423 Bartmer avenue; Arthur W. Lindholm, student, 6051 Kingsbury place; Logan F. Hachmann, student at Washington University law school, 4027 Glasgow street; Wilbur C. Adams, 6330 Washington avenue; C. W. Vaughan, 3367 Blaine avenue; C. H. Wells Jr., 4458 Washington boulevard; E. M. S. Stewart; Newport W. Larrimore, Robert C. Clifford, 4415 West Pine boulevard; Charles Z. McNamara, attorney, 4326 Maryland avenue; B. S. Bacon, William G. Jackson, 6029 Washington boulevard; J. C. Osborne, 3410 Morgan street; John W. Freels, East St. Louis; George Knapp, 4619 Berlin avenue; Flavius J. Fight, 2924A Magnolia avenue; L. L. Wait, 3934 Palm street; John M. Dain, 312 Pierce Building; E. W. Hilgard, Herbert H. Stinson, Ferguson; J. B. Dailey Jr., 3780 Westminster place; W. Braxton Wright, 14 North Eighteenth street; Eugene E. Hermann, 4213 Maryland avenue; James O'Keefe, Enos J. Rowley, 6913 Washington avenue; Herbert Miller, 1331 Pierce Building; Oscar W. Beckmeyer, Beckmeyer, Ill.; Joseph E. Deaver, Paris, Mo.

Students in Farm "Service Army."

PHILADELPHIA, April 27.—More than 200 University of Pennsylvania students have been enrolled in the "service army" now being recruited at the university for duty in the grain fields of the West and other sections. Fifty of them have left here for work on farms.

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Porterhouse Steak 25c
Sirloin Steak 20c
Round Steak 20c
Hamburger Steak 15c

PORK
Pork Loin Roast 20c
Pork Loin Chops 20c
Link Pork Sausage 15c
Loose Pork Sausage 15c

Morris Oleomargarine
Monarch 25c
Country Rolls 22c
Try this country roll. It's good.

HERE IS A GOOD ONE WHILE IT LASTS
Boneless Rib Roast 21c
Boneless Beef 18c

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR
98-Pound Sack $6.50
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We deliver flour in this sale to any reasonable distance from our store. This is less than wholesale price. Go after it.

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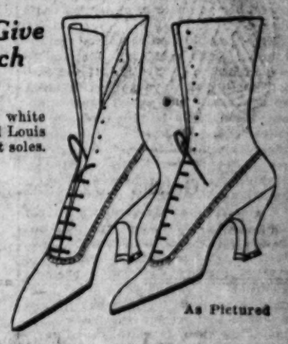
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Talcum Powder, Lazell's Massatta, box, **10c**
Roger & Gallett's Almond Soap, cake, **8c**
Talcum Powder, Armour's, popular odors, **10c**
Roger & Gallettt's Violet de Parme Toilet Water, at, bottle, **75c**
Hughes' Ideal Hairbrushes, double bristles, guaranteed; each, **$1.25**
Bourjois Imported Ashes of Roses Rouge, **25c**
(Main Floor.)

Candies

FRESH and sure pure, at special prices for Saturday's selling. Make sure to take a box of these delightful goodies home.

Heisey's Fine Broken Milk Chocolate, lb., **30c**
Milk Chocolate Strawberries, lb., **39c**
Heavenly Hash, box, **19c**
Saturday Caramels, lb., **25c**
Homemade Taffies and Brittles, lb., **25c**
"Supreme" Chocolates or Mixed Candies, lb., **30c, 40c and 60c**
Page & Shaw—"The Candy of Excellence," **$1.00**
(Main Floor.)

The Misses' Store—
Is Resplendent in Its Showing of Refreshing Styles in

New Summer Apparel

THIS assemblage is one chosen with discriminating care, and presents apparel with a distinctive touch, youthful lines and a charming exclusiveness that characterize all the garments from this section.



Net Dresses, $19.75 and $24.75

Twenty-five different captivating styles, daintily trimmed with white or colored ribbons and lace. Models are suitable for graduation or party wear, or dressy afternoon occasions. Sizes 14 to 20.

Other Net Dresses at $16.50 to $75.00.

Tub Frocks, $12.50

Many new ideas just received that are exceptional in value, and fascinating in style. Smart Tailored Linen Frocks and new Plaid Gingham Dresses, and airy Corded Striped Voiles, in fast colors. Sizes 14 to 20.

Other Wash Dresses, $5.95 to $35.00.

Misses' Silk Suits, $24.75

New models in taffeta silk, in smart high-waisted style. The Coats are silk-lined throughout, while the Skirts are finished with pockets. Suits are in navy blue only, and sizes 14 to 20.

SPECIAL—Misses' Suits, Reduced to $16.50

Some fifty garments taken from our regular lines and reduced for quick clearance—but one or two of a style, of jersey cloth, serge, gabardine and Shepherd checks. Sizes 14 to 20.

(Third Floor.)

Boys' 2-Trousers Suits, $8.95



SUITS that are expertly tailored and which illustrate in a substantial way, the exceptional value-giving of this Boys' Clothes Shop. There are many new Norfolk styles, in pretty Spring patterns, with slanting or patch pockets, alpaca or serge lined. Sizes from 7 to 18 years.

Blue Serge Suits at $5.95
All-wool, fast-color blue serge, in new pinch-back style, with serge or alpaca lined coats. Sizes 6 to 18 years.

Boys' 2-Trousers Suits at $4.95
Smart Norfolk styles, with extra knickers, in light and dark shades. Both trousers being full lined and taped. Sizes 6 to 18.

"Skolny" Clothes for Boys
—are tailored in the highest class manner, from fine materials. Each garment with an extra pair of Knickers.
Suits priced at **$9.75, $12.50, $13.50 and $14.75.**

Boys' Novelty Suits
Neatly trimmed Suits, in blue and gray, and black-and-white checks. All with separate white collars. Sizes 2½ to 8 years, priced, **$2.95 to $4.95**

Topcoats and Reefers
Smart little Coats in pinch-back styles, of blue serge, black-and-white checks and fancy mixtures. 2½ to 8 year sizes.
$2.95, $3.95 and $4.95

Boys' and Children's Hats
Newest styles, in Straw, Silk and Cloth.
Panamas, **98c and up**
Wash Hats at **$2.95 to $4.95**
Felt or Cloth Hats at **48c to 98c**
85c to $1.85
(Second Floor Annex.)



Hats

—A becoming model for every man of every type and build.

Better values or better styles are not to be had than the

Waldorf at **$3.00**
Stetsons, **$4 and $5**
Trimble,
$3.50, $4.00 and $4.50
S. B. & F. Special, **$1.85**
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)

Two Special Groups of Jaunty

Silk and Cloth Skirts at $4.95 $7.95



IT will be well worth your while to make a special trip downtown tomorrow for these Skirts. The styles are the last word of fashion, and the values are among the best we have offered this season.

And models for sport, street, dress wear—garments made of chuddah cloth, serges, twills, poplins, plain and fancy taffetas, stripes and plaids.

(Third Floor.)

In the Downstairs Store—
A Remarkable Sale of

Girls' Summer Dresses
95c $1.19 $1.69



WE say that these are easily the prettiest little Dresses you have seen in quite awhile. Several hundred dozen of them were specially purchased for this sale, and the values are quite remarkable. Each Dress has just been unpacked and is new and clean.

These charming Wash Frocks are of excellent quality gingham, chambray, galatea and crepe, in many dainty styles, and shown in all the popular light and dark shades, in stripes, checks and plaids, as well as solid colors.

Every size from 6 to 14.

(Downstairs Store.)

Children's Trim'd Hats



Very Special at **$3.00**

WE have taken 75 Hats from our regular high-priced lines and reduced them for Saturday to this figure.

There are shapes of Milan, hemp and fancy braid, trimmed with velvet ribbons, flowers, etc.—both white and colors.

Untrimmed Hats, $2
Finest quality, hand-blocked Lisere Hats, in many large, medium and small shapes. Just one or two of a style, copied from newest imported models.

Children's School Hats at $1.00
Banded Hats of hemp braid, solid colors and two-tone effects. Others with velvet ribbon and flowers.
(Third Floor

"Playhouse" Shoes
Are Best for Children



THEY are designed on nature-shape, comfort lasts, and there are no tacks or threads in the soles to hurt the little feet.

They are from a foremost maker, and are fashioned from patent or dull leather, and tan calf, in lace or button style, Goodyear welt soles, priced according to size, at from **$3 to $4**

Boy's Oxfords at $2.98
Tan or dull leather, with leather or white Neolin rubber soles, English lasts, Shoes that are made for long service; in sizes up to 6.

"Like Dad's" Shoes for Boys
These Shoes are as carefully fashioned as are men's Shoes, and made on similar lasts. They make strong appeal to the boy of distinctive tastes.

"Dugan & Hudson" Shoes for Girls
—possess a style individuality that the little miss cultivates early in life, and are made from best leathers.
(Main Floor.)

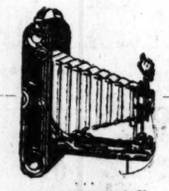
Silk-Bosom Shirts



Very Special at **$1.85**

SCORES of beautiful new patterns and colorings in Shirts with bosoms and cuffs of satin-striped tub silks—the remainder of the Shirt is of mercerized cloth, in patterns to match exactly the silk part. They are made with soft fold cuffs, and all sizes from 14 to 17.

"Geisha" Japanese Scarfs at 50c
A real new Neckwear idea that has found quick favor with discriminating men. The character and design in wide variety, are printed on a crepe cloth, in beautiful colors.
(Men's Store—Main Floor.)



CAMERAS

SPECIAL buying chances for amateur photographers.

25 No. 1-A Rexo, Jr. Cameras, make pictures 2½x4¼, equipped with universal focus lens, which eliminates distance guessing or setting, and Ilex shutter. Special, **$5.98**

No. 0 Brownie Cameras, with double finders, accurate and reliable and economical to operate. Make pictures 1⅝ to 2½, special, **98c**

No. 2 Cartridge Box Premo Cameras: take roll films; 2½x3¼; special, **$1.69**

No. 2-A Cartridge Premo, make pictures 2½x4¼, at **$2.69**
(Main Floor.)

Specials!
Until Noon Only
In the Downstairs Store

Lace Curtains, Pair,
JUST 100 pairs to offer if they last until noon. Of double thread Sea Island yarn, with overlocked edge. White and biege color. **65c**

Boston Garters,
THE well-known Boston Cord Garters, in various colors. Also "Wear-Well" Satin Pad Garters in colors. **12½c**

Men's Silk Socks, Pr.,
FIBER silk, with double soles, high spliced heels. Black only. Slight seconds. **12½c**

White Canvas Shoes,
WOMEN'S High White Canvas Shoes, with white finished heels and soles. Neat style, in all sizes. (Downstairs Store.) **$1.85**

Sale of Men's Oxfords, $2.45

A SPLENDID opportunity for men to get Summer Footwear at a gift-like price. We offer a number of sample model pairs and discontinued lines, in tan calf, gunmetal, kidskin and patent leathers, in one great lot at this low price.

"American Gentleman" Shoes
—Are made to measure up to the highest standard of quality, and in accordance with the newest footwear styles. There are flat English or straight lasts, as well as wide, roomy ones—made of tan or dull calf and soft kidskin. All sizes and widths A to E, at **$5.00 to $7.50 per pair**

Men's Pumps at $2.00 Pair
Patent or dull leather "Walk-Over" rejects, in all sizes and widths, at a fraction of their worth.



(Men's Store—Main Floor.)



Water Sets, Special, $3.00
SETS include seven pieces—in light cut pattern as illustrated—three-pint jug and six glasses.
(Sixth Street Highway.)

Sale of Books

BEGINS Saturday morning with many extraordinary offerings of timely interest. There will be Books for Children, boys, girls and for adults, at savings of an unusual nature.

Chatterbox, four different numbers, each over 400 pages and 100 illustrations—
2 for $1.25; each, 69c

Zig-Zag Journeys, ten titles, cloth bound. **3 for $1.25; ea., 45c**

Stoke's Encyclopedia, one volume of 1600 pages at **$1.75**

Bible Special—Red letter edition of Old and New Testament, with helps and references, overlapping edges, bound with genuine leather, at **$1.85**
(Add 10c for mailing.)

Practical Cook Book, with recipes and suggestions for every housekeeper, **49c**

Portrait Life of Lincoln, from original photographs, **45c**

Croscup's U. S. History, **59c**

Little Leather Books
by standard writers, about 100 titles, including Rolf's edition of Shakespeare, 25 titles, each, **55c**

Aerial Booklets, red and green leather bindings; 100 titles, **55c**

Nature Books
Illustrated Bird Dictionary and Notebook, Land Birds and Water Birds, two for **25c**
Each, **15c**

"A Holiday With the Birds," by Marks and Moody, **45c**

"Camera Studies of Wild Birds in Their Homes," by Chester A. Reed. 300 pages, 200 illustrations, **89c**

"Guide to the Mushrooms," by Emma L. Taylor Cole, **50c**

Two Portfolios of Game, Birds and Fishes. Splendid studies in colors of educational value for school room or home.

Game Birds in North America, set of 20 for **$1.00**

Game Fishes of North America, set of 20 for **$1.00**

Encyclopedia Britannica, eleventh edition; flexible suede binding; 29 volumes and case. **$175**
(Second Floor.)

Rose Bushes and Shrubs

NEW lots for Saturday, fresh from the nurseries and greenhouses—field-grown, two-year-old plants, of hardy variety.

Rose Bushes, 10c
Including the following varieties:
Alford Colomb—red.
Anna Diesbach—pink.
Baby Ramblers—pink, blue or crimson.
Dorothy Perkins—pink.
Gen. Jack—red.
Magna Charta—pink.
Paul Neyron—pink.
Ulrich Brunner—red.
Tousenschoen.
And many other varieties.

Bench-Grown Rose Bushes
12½c Each
$1.25 Dozen
Hybrid Tea variety, that blooms every month. White and Pink Killarney, Yellow Sunburst, Red Richmond and Aaron Ward.

Shrubs, 10c
Alphia—red, white, pink, blue.
Clematis—red, white, pink, blue
Deutzia
Forsythia
Golden Glow
Grape Vines
Snowball
Honeysuckle
Weigalia
Hydrangea
And many other varieties.

California Privet
For Hedges
12-inch size, **25c per hundred**
18-inch size, **$2.25 per hundred**
Hardy Plants, in a wide variety, for the flower bed; choice, **10c**
(Fifth Floor.)

Geraniums, in various colors, splendid plants, in 4-in. pots; each, **10c**
(Downstairs Store.)

Hawaiian Resolution in House.
WASHINGTON, April 27.—Resolutions of the Hawaiian Legislature pledging support to the President and indorsing universal military service were presented to the House yesterday by Delegate Kalanianaole.

Last Surviving Son of Bret Harte Dies
SAN FRANCISCO, April 27.—Francis K. Bret Harte, last surviving son of the California author and poet, died recently at Monte Carlo, according to word received here today.

$700,000 Income Tax Paid in Advance.
CHICAGO, April 27.—Hale Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, yesterday forwarded to Washington a $700,000 check in payment of the road's income tax. The amount is not due for two months, but Holden said he believes it to be the duty of all to facilitate Government plans in the present crisis.

For tired, aching, burning eyes
SANITOL EYE BATH
ANTISEPTIC
Cleanses, refreshes, invigorates.
It's a wash, not a medicine. At any druggist's, 25 cents.

WORLD THRILLED BY U. S. ENTRY INTO WAR, SAYS VIVIANI

"All Forces of Freedom Let Loose," He Declares in Statement to Public.

EXPRESSES GRATITUDE

"Enthusiastic Reception Not to Us, but to Our Beloved and Heroic France."

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Rene Viviani, France's Vice Premier and head of the war mission, in a statement to the American press yesterday, said the cooperation of the United States would mean not only a military victory, which already was assured, but a victory of morality and right. Expressing deep gratitude for the enthusiastic reception given his mission here, M. Viviani said he realized it was "not to us, but to our beloved and heroic France."

M. Viviani's statement to the Washington correspondents follows:

"I promised to receive you after having reserved, as elementary courtesy required, my first communication solely for the President. I have just had the honor, which I shared with other members of the mission, of being received by him.

"I am, indeed, happy to have been chosen to present the greetings of the French republic to the illustrious man, whose name is in every French mouth today, whose incomparable message is at this very hour being read and commented upon in all our schools as the most perfect charter of human rights and which so fully expresses the virtues of your race—long-suffering patience before appealing to force, and force to avenge that long-suffering patience when there can be no other means.

Expression of Gratitude.

"Since you are here to listen to me, I ask you to repeat a thousandfold the expression of our deep gratitude for the enthusiastic reception the American people has granted us in Washington. It is not to us, but to our beloved and heroic France that reception was accorded.

"We were proud to be her children in those unforgettable moments when we read in the radiance of the faces we saw the noble sincerity of your hearts. And I desire to thank also the press of the United States, represented by you. I fully realize the ardent and disinterested help you have given by your tireless propaganda in the cause of right; I know your action has been incalculable. Gentlemen, I thank you.

"We have come to this land to salute the American people and its Government, to call to fresh vigor lifelong frendship, sweet and cordial in the ordinary course of our lives, and which these tragic hours have raised to all the ardor of brotherly love—a brotherly love which in these last years of suffering has multiplied its most touching expression. You have given help, not only in treasure, in every act of kindness and good will. For us your children have shed their blood, and the names of your sacred dead are inscribed forever in our hearts. And it was with a full knowledge of the meaning of what you did that you acted. Your inexhaustible generosity was not the charity of the fortunate to the distressed; it was an affirmation of your conscience, a reasoned approval of your judgment.

"Its National Industry."

"Your fellow countrymen knew that, under the savage assault of a nation of prey which has made of war, to quote a famous saying, its national industry, we were upholding with our incomparable allies, faithful and valiant to the death, with all those who are fighting shoulder to shoulder with us on the firing line, the sons of indomitable England, a struggle for the violated rights of man, for that democratic spirit which the forces of autocracy were attempting to crush throughout the world. We are ready to carry that struggle on to the end.

"And now, as President Wilson has said, the republic of the United States rises in its strength as a champion of right, and rallies to the side of France and her allies. Only our descendants, when time has removed them sufficiently far from present events, will be able to measure the full significance, the grandeur of an historic act, which has sent a thrill through the whole world.

"From today on all the forces of freedom are let loose. And, not only victory, of which we are already assured, is certain; the true meaning of victory is made manifest: it cannot be merely a fortunate military conclusion to this struggle, it will be the victory of morality and right, and will forever secure the existence of a world in which all our children shall draw free breath in full peace and undisputed pursuit of their labors.

"To accomplish this great work, which will be carried to completion, we are about to exchange views with the men in your Government best qualified to help. The co-operation of the republic of the United States in this world conflict is now assured. We work together as free men, who are resolved to save the ideals of mankind."

Large Tomato Plants 1c; Tuberose Bulbs, 1c each. Grimm & Gorly.

Students to Sing at City Club.
A chorus of 100 students from the high schools will sing numbers from Wagner's "Rienzi" and "Flying Dutchman," Verdi's "Il Trovatore," Mendelssohn's "Athalie," Rossini's "Stabat Mater" and Handel's "Messiah," Saturday afternoon at the City Club. Mrs. Delbert H. Cleland, soprano will be soloist.

Invest in U. S. War Bonds
The St. Louis Union Bank—Member Federal Reserve System of the United States—will handle your subscription without charge.

Kansas Health Board to Help.
TOPEKA, Kan., April 27.—The force and equipment of the Kansas State Board of Health will be offered to the Federal Government for service during the war. Dr. S. J. Crumbine, secretary, leaves here today for Washington for a conference with Gen. Rupert Blue, Surgeon-General of the United States Public Health Service, to work out more detailed plans for the federation of the State boards.

The Associated Press Night Report received and printed exclusively by the Post-Dispatch in the St. Louis field.

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Here Are the Styles Young Men Want—

Our exclusive Young Men's Dept. is the style center for the young fellows who want the very latest.



THE colleges are setting the clothes fashions for America—and here are the latest college ideas—exclusive creations from the best Eastern makers—suits with lots of "pep" and class—full of dash and color, fine fabrics, high-class designing and tailoring—and expert service that assures you just the model that is most becoming.

Great Line for Your Selection at

$15

Other popular-priced lines at $10, $12.50, $17.50
Young Men's Super-styles at $20, $22.50, $25

Here—briefly sketched—are a few of the scores of new designs that are winning for us the trade of the particular young men of St. Louis.

The Belter—
Single breasted—patch pockets—slightly form-fitting back with belt all around.

The Crofton—
A very nifty model—three-quarter belt, slash pockets, knife plaited front and gathered back.

The Nardley—
Three-button sack—high peaked lapel—slanting pockets—two-piece loose belted back.

The Elton—
Two-button sack—patch pockets—pinch-back with two-piece belt—high peaked lapels.

The Burfield—
Three-button sack—high peaked lapel—plain pockets—moderately form-fitting—plain back.

The Orkley—
Two-button, double-breasted style—long roll lapel—curved patch pockets—gathered back.

The Craymore—
Two-button sack—soft roll lapels—notch collar—form-tracing lines—slanting pockets.

The Crawley—
Similar to the Nardley, but slightly less form-tracing and made with slash pockets.

Suits for Older Men
$10 to $35

Special Shirt Sale $1.35

SATURDAY—we place on sale a special lot of soft Negligee Shirts—made of highly mercerized Blazer cloth that looks like silk and wears better—variety of attractive patterns and guaranteed fast colors—French cuffs—Shirts that were intended to sell at considerably higher prices—you'll want at least a half dozen when you see them—tomorrow at.....

The Store for Manhattan and Arrow Shirts—Stetson Hats

Boys' Two-Pants Suits



These are great values at

STYLISH, well-made, sturdy, dependable Suits in a variety of mighty pleasing fabrics—Norfolk Coats with TWO pairs of full lined pants, which assures almost double service—all sizes for boys from 7 to 16 years—unequalled anywhere at this price. **$5.95**

Boys' Stylish Confirmation Suits
NEWEST Spring styles in fine, all-wool blue serge—designed in pinch-back and three-piece belt models—knickers are full lined—all sizes for boys from 6 to 18 at $5, $5.95, $8.75, $10 and a big showing at. **$7.50**

Stout Boys' Knicker Suits
THESE are made specially for large stout youngsters who want stylish-looking, well-fitting Suits in pleasing patterns—shown in fancy mixtures and blue serges—sizes 17, 18 and 19, at
$7.50 $10 $12.50

Boys' Topcoats
DRESSY and serviceable little Coats for boys 2½ to 9—serges, Scotches, Shepherd checks and coverts—$6.95, $5.95, $4.95, $2.95, $2.25, and particularly at..... **$3.95**

New Wash Suits
THE prettiest Wash Suits of the season await you here—beautiful color combinations—charming models—ages 2½ to 8—all prices from 95c to $3.35 with a big line at..... **$1.35**

Ready With Children's Straw Hats
CLEVER shapes for youngsters of all ages—all new, fresh, charming styles—the hat to suit your boy at a price to suit your purse—59c to $3.00—a specially good assortment at... **$1.50**

"If you see it in a Schmitz & Shroder ad—it's TRUE"

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S. E. COR. EIGHTH AND WASHINGTON AV.
Also at Schmitz & Shroder's "Big Store," East St. Louis, Ill.

Open Saturdays Till 10 P. M.

Charge Purchases
Will be placed on account payable June 1st.

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Popular Fiction 1c a Day
In our Readers' Club Library on the Second Floor, Ninth St. side.

Store Hours: Saturday, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. *Olive and Locust, From Ninth to Tenth*



Men's
Suits for All Occasions
Top-Coats for All Weather
$15 $20 $25

Suits—
Every kind of a suit style for young, middle-aged and older men that you could ask for. The style range includes close-fitting models, pinch-backs, loose belted effects and belt-all-around models.
For the business man we are showing a fine array of beautiful fabrics in the accepted conservative models of the day.

Top-Coats—
The Top-Coats we are showing this Spring are in such a wide variety of style and fabrics that there is everything to please the most discriminating young man as well as the man who desires to be more conservative.

Three Specialized Prices—$15, $20 and $25
Men's Clothing Shop—Second Floor.

Everything the Boy Needs in Spring and Summer Apparel

Boys' Wash Suits, $1 to $7.50
We have an excellent assortment of them in both plain and fancy styles, in long and short sleeves, Dutch and sailor collars and in the most popular materials and colors. Sizes range from 2½ to 10 years.

Boys' Topcoats, $6 to $10
Boys' and little tots' Spring Topcoats and Reefers in navy blue serges, with emblems on sleeves; Shepherd plaids, velour checks and some wool and cotton mixtures. Sizes 2½ to 10 years.

New Straw Hats, $1 to $5
Boys' and little tots' Straw Hats in all the new shapes and colors in Panama, Milan and Lisere Straws.

Boys' Wash Norfolk Suits, $3.50 to $7.50
These are in khaki, gray crash, tan and dark blue linen and Palm Beach cloth, in plain and fancy stripes. They are in splendid styles, just like the older men's, and some have two pairs of knickers. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Boys' Shop—Second Floor.

Bakery Special
Apple Turnovers.....5c
Milk Bread, loaf....10c
Coffee Cake 10c
Bake Shop—First Floor.

Candy Specials
Regular 30c a pound Crystallized Gumdrops..... 20c
We call your attention to the fact that we carry a complete line of the celebrated Baarent Ten Broek's Canned Fruits and Preserves at popular prices.
Also that we are agents for Ten Broek's, Huyler's and Mary Garden Chocolates.
Candy Shop—First Floor

Three Things to Consider When Buying Shoes for Children

"Correct Fit"
Our fitters are experts, thoroughly schooled in the art of properly clothing tender, growing feet.

"Style"
The trade-mark "Sorosis" is assurance of all that is to be desired in style.

"Quality"
Here, again, you have the assurance of absolute satisfaction.
Coupled with our own iron-clad guarantee of absolute satisfaction this will certainly prove to you that the "Sorosis" Shoes are the best shoes to buy for the children.
Pumps, Oxfords and High Shoes in a full variety of leathers, canvas or buckskin, priced from
$2 to $5
Sorosis Shoe Shop—Second Floor.



$1 Stag Sharpener for 75c
For all makes of safety razors.
A few strokes on the hone and finish on the strop will sharpen a dull blade to a smooth, sharp edge. The "Stag" works automatically, giving the proper beveled edge, and has practically no wear-out to it—will last a lifetime.
Complete with holder, hone and strap, in leatherette box for **75c**
Cutlery Shop—First Floor.

End of the Month Specials in
Women's Separate Skirts

Up to $ 7.50 Skirts for **$4.95**
Up to $ 8.95 Skirts for **$6.50**
Up to $10.00 Skirts for **$7.50**

Many of the newest Spring styles are included, with their smart pockets and the various plaited and shirred effects.
There are silk Skirts in plain colors and pretty plaids and striped pongee silk, as well as many models in serviceable poplins, serges and plaid, check and stripe mixtures.
Skirt Shop—Third Floor.

Sale of Toilet Goods

$1 and $1.25 White Ivory Holder, with two perfume bottles..... **50c**
15c Babcock's Corylopsis Talcum ..... **10c** (Limit of three.)
50c White Ivory Combs **25c**
$1.25 White Ivory Picture Frames, on sale while they last, at **69c**
25c boxes of fancy Court Plaster Beauty Spots, the box **5c**
No Phone or Mail Orders Filled.
Toilet Goods Shop—First Floor.



Saturday's Special
"Dollar Box" of Cut Flowers
18 Ophelia Roses and 12 Carnations $1
These will be carefully packed in a box and delivered anywhere in the city at this price.

For the Garden

Ivy Plants, the doz.....**50c**
Geranium Plants, doz...**$1.50**
Boston Ferns, up from....**50c**
Pansy Plants, the basket, **25c**
Tomato Plants, loose, 25c for **25c**
Tomato Plants, in pots, doz., **35c**
Cabbage Plants, doz.....**10c**
Fresh Flower and Vegetable Seeds .....**5c a pkg.**
Floral Shop—Basement



For Misses and Small Women a Splendid Assortment of
Gingham Dresses at $12.75

They are delightfully youthful in design, with all the clever and extreme touches usually found in smart silk frocks. In fact, they are the very newest dress fad—the mode of the moment—for the smartest dressers in New York have readily approved them.

This lot includes a number of dainty, smart styles that will at once appeal to you.

Come in tomorrow and select one or several from the wide variety we are showing at the unusually low price of $12.75.

You Simply Must See These New Capes!
Ask for the "Billy Lewis," the new corduroy cape shown in soft pastel shades.
It is beautifully lined with fancy silk and makes just the thing to wear over graduation frocks. Priced.....**$16.50**

Many other styles in corduroy and navy blue serge are shown—priced
Up to $32.50
Misses' Shop, Third Floor.

PAYS $500,000 INCOME TAX SIX WEEKS BEFORE IT IS DUE

New Yorker Loses $3750 Interest by Patriotism—and Officials Hope Precendent Will Be Followed.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Some patriotic American with a fortune in excess of $64,000,000 has paid his income tax six weeks in advance thereby losing $3750 in interest. The taxpayer's name is withheld in accordance with the law but the fact that he had handed a check for more than $500,000 to the Collector of Internal Revenue here was made public today.

Collector Edwards believs this man's example will give impetus to the patriotic movement started here for the payment of Federal taxes, ahead of time. It is estimated that in Edwards' district which includes downtown New York $6,000,000 in taxes will be received by May 1.

At the Busy Bee Bake Shops.
Almond Coffee Cake Ring, 20 cents.

Mucilage With It.
The Stars and Stripes will be printed on good paper with brilliant inks, all CUT OUT ready to be "stuck" in your window, will be given free with the next Sunday Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and suburbs.

CUMMINS CALLED FOR TRIAL BEFORE THE POLICE BOARD

Charged With Making False Report to Chief Young on Salary Bill Collections.

Patrolman Ray Cummins of the Central District, under suspension as a policeman and as secretary of the Police Relief Association, today was formally summoned to appear before the Board of Police Commissioners in the afternoon for trial on a charge of making a false report to Police Chief Young.

The report, made about a week ago, was one in which Cummins denied all knowledge of efforts to collect $8 from each of 1625 policemen, to be given to Attorney Joseph Crites of Rolla and others who worked for the passage of the police salary increase bill in the State Legislature.

After making this report Cummins is said to have admitted to President Mansur of the Police Board that he was active in raising the fund. He also told reporters he would take full responsibility.

Six witnesses have been summoned for the trial, among them being Patrolman William McCormack, who is known to have collected more than $400 for the fund. Detectives who have said they paid $8 each to Cummins, and Sergeants who paid their contributions to McCorback also have been summoned.

Cummins will be entitled to a continuance if he desires it. If he should be found guilty the board could dismiss him, fine him or give him demerit marks.

The Police Board does not contemplate making an investigation as to contributions made by policemen to political campaign funds last fall. The Thompson Police Board at that time ruled that policemen might make such contributions.

No basis has been found for published assertions that reports being made by 1625 policemen relative to the salary bill fund are being deleted and distorted by district Captains. The only basis for this allegation is that in the Carr street district Patrolman Putnam, in his salary fund report, added the line: "I did not contribute to any campaign fund last fall." This line was ordered stricken out by Capt. Singleton as irrevelant. Captains of all districts today said they had made no changes in the men's salary fund reports.

CHURCH 50 YEARS OLD SUNDAY

Three Special Services at Bethany Evangelical Home.

The fiftieth anniversary of Bethany Evangelical Church, Red Bud and Rozalie avenues, will be observed in three special services at the church Sunday. The anniversary sermon will be delivered at the morning service by the Rev. J. Baltzer, president general of the Evangelical Synod. All living former pastors, the Rev. P. Brueckner, the Rev. J. Kramer and the Rev. C. Stark, will speak at the afternoon service. Pastors of the neighboring churches will deliver brief addresses at the evening service.

Bethany congregation was organized in 1867 and for 48 years occupied a building at Twenty-third and Wash streets. Two years ago they moved to their present location and have doubled their membership in that time. The Rev Frederick H. Kraft is pastor.

A postal will bring one of the men or women who are asking for employment through the situation columns in the Post-Dispatch Want Pages today.

NINE POLICEMEN BOMBARD NEGRO

Corner Him in Cellar; Find he Has Stolen Clothes.

When a negro with a bundle under his arm met a policeman with a club in his hand, at Twenty-second and Olive streets, at 9:15 last night, the negro ran and the policeman pursued him, shooting as he ran. Six other policemen and two Sergeants joined in the chase. A dozen shots were fired. The pursuit was through alleys, back yards and streets.

The negro, who said he was Herman Cummings of 4126 Finney avenue, was cornered in a cellar at 1904 Franklin avenue. In the bundle was a man's blue serge suit, which had been stolen from Bert Magidson's tailor shop at 2119 Olive street. The negro also had a woman's silver watch and a revolver. He was locked up.

Bonus for Santa Fe Employes.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., April 27.—All employes of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad will receive, July 1, a 10 per cent bonus on six months' pay, according to an announcement made here last night.



Glasses on Credit
Our graduate optometrist will test your eyes free and fit them correctly.
50c A WEEK
McCoy-Weber 2d Floor, Oriel Bldg., 8th & Locust
Open Saturday Until 9:30 P. M.



Swope's $5 Special

This flat custom effect oxford will make a big hit with the man seeking distinctive style at moderate cost. It is exceptionally good looking, with narrow toe, made of dark tan or black leather. Unusual value, $5.

All of "Swope's $5 Specials" are superior—in style—in the service they give—in value. A great variety is shown this Spring.

Swope Shoe Co.
OLIVE AT 10th ST.

Nugent's



Clothes that are correct and of handsome appearance await your inspection at this reliable Men's Store, marked at economy prices.

STYLE SHOP CLOTHES For Men and Young Men $13.50

The materials are worsteds in striped and fancy mixture effects, fancy cheviots and cassimeres, also serges. The models are in conservative styles for the men who want to dress in conservative manner, and for the young men the models are form-fitting and pinch-back and belted back styles; many of them have silk sleeve lining and are skeleton, one-quarter and one-half lined; all sizes.

(Third Floor.)

Byron Brand Registered — Suits for Men and Young Men $17.50

In novelty cheviots, fancy cassimeres, fancy mixtures, in worsteds, plain and shadow stripe serges. Models are for young men in pinch-back, belted back and form-fitting effects, conservative models for the conservative man, also full-lined; many silk sleeve lining; sizes 33 to 48, including stouts.

(Third Floor.)

No Price Increase—Hand-Tailored

Alfred Benjamin — Men's and Young Men's Spring Suits and Overcoats

THE CLOTHES READY FOR USE

The rise in fabrics and labor costs has not affected the prices of these Spring Suits and Top Overcoats, thereby greatly increasing their value. This is the only store in St. Louis specializing in **Alfred Benjamin Clothes**, Suits and Topcoats, ready for use, genuinely hand-tailored, according to Fifth Avenue merchant tailor standards, and with the largest collection of fabrics and models for every taste, at..... $25

Other Benjamin Clothes at $30, $35 and $40

(Third Floor.)

Men's & Young Men's Trousers $4.00

Hundreds of handsome Trousers for men and young men at this price. Elegant worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots and serges. Well made Spring shades and patterns. Trousers for service and dress wear, in all sizes up to 50 waist measure.

All Over Store

$1.00 Safety Razors 65c
Durham Duplex Safety Razors in leather case with 50c package of blades, Ivory handle razor and safety blade holder for stropping; all in a leather case. (Main Floor.)

50c Cuff Links 33c
Men's enamel soft cuff links; assorted colors and shapes. (Main Floor.)

Misses' Corsets $1 to $3
Warner, Gossard, American and Nemo Corsets for Misses; low bust models; pink or white batiste.
These corsets fitted from 8:30 to 1:00 o'clock. (Fourth Floor.)

$3.00 Wire Cloth $2.25
Screen wire cloth; black; 24 to 40 in. sizes; 100 sq. ft. for $2.25. (Downstairs.)

59c Garden Forks 39c
Gardener's steel forks with D-Handle. (Downstairs.)

Women's Silk Gloves 60c
2-clasp Silk Gloves in white, black and colors; sizes 5½ to 8. (Main Floor.)

Milanese Silk Gloves 85c
Women's 2-clasp extra Milanese Silk Gloves, with 3-row fancy and solid silk embroidered backs; white and black. (Main Floor.)

Smocked Middies $1 and $2
New arrivals—Belted, with pockets, colors of lavender, coral, gold, Copen. and white—charming and attractive; all sizes. (Second Floor.)

Irwin's 509 Washington Av. — For Saturday — Irwin's 509 Washington Av.

2000 New Blouses

Just received—two marvelous underpriced purchases offered at about one-half their real value. All crisp, new garments, in this season's most popular designs.

Daintily trimmed with large round and sailor collars — medallion andlace-trimmed organdie combinations

Sport Blouses, Lingeries, Tub Silks, Taffeta, Stripes, Voiles.



All of the styles illustrated and fully 100 other beautiful designs at these prices tomorrow.

95¢ AND $1.95

Blouses Featured at this price are Georgette and Crepe de Chine in the season's most fascinating designs and colorings. The popular flesh and white shades predominate. Remarkable values, specially priced at $2.95

Blouses Worth up to $5.95 are offered in this group—Plain Tailored, Beaded, Embroidered and Braided styles. Every new and popular color is represented. A remarkable underpriced offering Saturday at... $4.95

Spring Coats

In two groups—**values up to $25**—including all the wanted materials—velours—checks—burellas—Gunnyberlis—serges—white chinchillas—Poiret twills—poplins—tricotines—cheviots—coverts. In all sizes and the most popular colors.

$8.95 and $12.50



Separate Skirts

Two remarkable offerings of Skirts greatly underpriced—all of our higher priced Skirts are included—augmented by new purchases from overstocked manufacturers. Practically every material and color style and color you desire—specially priced Saturday at

$5 and $8.90

Petticoat Special
$5.00 value changeable Taffeta Petticoat—great variety of colors, including the popular pastel shades and dark colors, for $3.95



Choice of Every Colored Suit in the House

SUITS Comprising 110 garments that formerly sold up to $35.00. All the following shades included in the lot: Copen, tan, rose, gray, green, brown.... $9.50



MEN'S SILK SHIRTS $5.95

These Shirts are the most attractive we have shown and comprise the new Spring fabrics and colors in the following materials; crepes, La Jerz, soiree satin, taffeta and broadcloth weaves; all sizes 14 to 17.

(Main Floor.)

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

$1 & $1.50 Union Suits, 75c

An odd lot of men's fine mercerized knit Union Suits, white or ecru; long or short sleeves, ankle length, also a few knee length styles; sizes 34 and 36.

Reg. 25c Shirts & Drawers, 19c

Men's Nainsook Shirts and Drawers, athletic style; knee length drawers; sizes of shirts, 34 to 44; sizes of drawers, 30 to 40.



(Main Floor.)



MEN'S SHOES $3.85

Formerly $5.00 & $6.00

These Shoes will give excellent wear because they are made welt; welt sewed; tan or black; shapes range from English toe last to the broad toe comfort shoe.

Size B—6 to 11. Size D—5½ to 11.
Size C—5½ to 11. Size E—6 to 11.

(Third Floor.)

"REX" HATS, $1.85

Sold exclusively here—Hats we would be compelled to pay more for if purchased today. Every one made for this season's selling; colors green, tan, pearl, steel and black; broad brims with folded silk bands and also the most conservative styles.



We Are Headquarters for
J. B. Stetson Hats, $4.00
All the new styles and colorings of the season. (Main Floor.)

65 Misses' Dresses That
Formerly Sold at $20.00 Tomorrow
$10.90



Misses' Dresses of crepe de chine, Georgette and taffeta and combinations of the above mentioned materials, made up in some of the season's most popular styles, are offered as a special inducement tomorrow.

We originally sold these Dresses for $20.00, but to make room for the new Summer merchandise that is constantly arriving, we are making this low offer. Sizes 14 to 18.

(Second Floor.)

$7.50, $10.00 and $12.50
GIRLS' COATS, $5.95

A group of Coats in a number of stylish models, showing the Empire and regulation waist effects; materials of faille silk, serge, gabardine, wool velour and shepherd checks; contrasting over-collars of silk pique or broadcloth, new fancy pockets and belts; sizes 6 to 14 years. (Second Floor).



CHILDREN'S
New Straw Hats

2 to 6 Years. Children's White Milan Straw Hats, with trimmings of ribbon and flowers; ages 2 to 5 years.... $2.00



Children's White Milan Hats, with plain tailored band and bow. In this lot you will find a few solid blacks $1.25

Little Boys' White Pique Hats, with tailored band and bow; 1 to 3 years... 45c
(Fourth Floor.)



BOYS' CORRECT SUITS

Norfolk models, pinch-back and pleated back; three-piece belt and patch pockets; fancy all-wool mixtures, gray, tan, light and dark shades; exceptional tailoring and designing; sizes 7 to 18 years..... $8.50

Boys' Handsome Suits

New Norfolk models, with pinch back; three piece belt and patch pockets; two pair of trousers; sizes 7 to 18 years $7.50

Boys' Serviceable Suits

Pinch-back models, some with two pair of trousers lined throughout; light and dark mixtures; also black and white plaid; sizes 6 to 18 years $5.00
(Third Floor)

PREDICTS PERMANENT ENFORCED TRAINING

Publicity Director of Military League Says Sentiment Is for Change in Policy.

"Universal training as a part of the permanent military policy of the United States will follow the passage of the selective conscription measure," Richard Fairchild, publicity director of the Universal Military Training League, told a Post-Dispatch reporter today. He is making a tour of Missouri in the interest of the propaganda work of his organization.

"I have at hand here an editorial from a leading daily paper in Alabama taking issue with a New York resident who made a tour of the State a month ago, and who reported back to his friends in the metropolis that Alabama was largely pacfist and opposed to universal military training and service. The Alabama editor asked the New Yorker where he had been, which newspapers he had been reading and from which source or sources his information came. The editor declared that Alabama, despite prominent representatives in Congress indicating the opposite, was by a large majority favorable to selective conscription, to universal military service as against a muddled and unsatisfactory plan of volunteering.

"Another example is in Illinois. One of the Senators has been speaking against President Wilson's selective draft measure, whereas 99 out of every hundred newspapers in Illinois, daily, semi-weekly and weekly, are unmistakably friendly to the plan. The cry from Chicago to Cairo in Illinois is to get behind the President to tide over present military exigencies and, for a permanent military and naval policy in the United States, to pass universal military training legislation. Our league is en rapport with public conscience in its stand. We are preaching that same sermon day and night. 'Stand behind President Wilson in his emergency war measures and then help enact universal military training legislation as a permanent national policy'—this is our cry. It is receiving a response that is most encouraging."

Fairchild said that the league's president, Howard H. Gross, returned from Washington a few days ago with reports that while the attack upon selective conscription was sharp and bitter, there was little doubt but that President Wilson would have his way.

"While in Washington Mr. Gross conferred with Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, and with other prominent members of Congress, and was informed that slowly but to a certainty public opinion was affecting the congressional mind," continued Fairchild. "From reports from Washington, therefore, and from field men in the South, Southwest and Rocky Mountain states, where anti-conscription sentiment recently was strong, it is now demonstrated beyond any doubt that nine out of 10 daily newspapers are wholesouledly supporting the President, that most of the weekly press is just as patriotic and that at least 60 per cent of the population, rural and urban, is behind him."

Doctor Tells How to Quickly Strengthen Your Eyesight at Home



Dr. Lewis says Bon-Opto is strengthening the eyes of thousands. It is guaranteed to strengthen eyes 50% in one week's time in many instances. Often entirely does away with glasses; quickly relieves inflammation, aching, itching, burning, tired, workstrained, watery eyes. Not a secret remedy. Absolutely harmless, formula on every package. See Doctor's announcement soon to appear in this paper. Bon-Opto prescription filled by all druggists.—ADV.

WASHING WON'T RID HEAD OF DANDRUFF

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

Do this tonight, and by morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop at once, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and never fails to do the work.—ADV.

Large Tomato Plants 1c; Tuberose Bulbs, 1c each. Grimm & Gorly.

For good workers to aid in the Spring clean-up consult Post-Dispatch Wants.

Whitener Ends His Life.

Frank Schreiber, a whitener, 49 years old, ended his life this morning with carbolic acid at his home, 1847 Menard street. His wife died recently.

WOMEN! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS



You who tire easily; are pale, haggard and worn; nervous or irritable; who are subject to fits of melancholy or the "blues," get your blood examined for iron deficiency. **NUXATED IRON** taken three times a day after meals will increase your strength and endurance 100 per cent in two weeks' time in many cases.—Ferdinand King, M.D.

NOTE—NUXATED IRON recommended above by Dr. King can be obtained from any good druggist on an absolute guarantee of results or money refunded. The usually prescribed dose is two fire-grain tablets to be taken three times per day after meals.

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4-ft. Galvanized Poultry Wire; 2-inch mesh; 50 running feet at— $1.19

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Bright, new Spring Hats; just the thing for the little fellows; 75c value; at... 45c

WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

Bought at Auction—Women's Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts & Waists



$2 Summer Dresses Women's and Misses' Wash Dresses, sport and three tier effects, in white and colors; all sizes..... 88c

$1 Lingerie Waists All clean and fresh white Lingerie and tailored Waists; come in all sizes..... 50c

$7.98 Silk Dresses An elegant lot of the very latest style Silk Dresses, in range of high shades..... $4.48

$16 Stout Size Suits Stylish all-wool serge Suits, belted back, satin-lined, rubber shields; 37 to 55 bust.... $10

$1 Middy Blouses A grand lot of fine twilled Middies, front and side laced, with or without belts..... 50c

$7.98 Spring Coats The very latest styles of wool materials, in pretty Spring shades; all sizes..... $4.98

$2 Dress Skirts Broken lots, made of serge, Panama and mixtures; all regular sizes..... 79c

$15 Spring Suits Women's and Misses' fine Suits, made of gabardine and mannish serge, beautifully lined with silk peau de cygne; all sizes, 16 years to 44 bust..... $7.98

45c RIBBONS All-silk, 6-inch wide Ribbons, beautiful stripe and floral effects, for hair bows and sashes, yard..... 25c

Georgette Collars New square shapes; in all-silk Georgette, with Filet edgings..... 49c

79c Silk Gloves Black, with white stitching or white with black stitching, also leading colors; pair..... 55c

Sample Jewelry 2000 pieces—Earrings, Hatpins, Friendship Circles, Brooches, Pin Sets, Cuff Link Sets, Beauty Pin Sets, worth 39c to $1.00..... 25c

Boys' $6.50 Two-Pants Suits These are from our service Suits, and are a very special purchase. Two pairs of knickers with every suit; sizes 6 to 14; at..... $3.69



$1.50 Wash Suits The very latest in Boys' Wash Suits; all sizes.... 89c

Boys' 50c Waists All the best patterns, including plain white and Sport Blouses.... 22c

Men's $1.50 Pants All sizes and colors; a very special purchase at..... 89c

Boys' $3 Suits Norfolk or pinch-back styles; all sizes up to 18 $3.45

Big Savings on Dependable Shoes for All



White Boots for Women — Regular $3 kind made over a stylish, easy fitting last, with leather or covered heels. Every pair clean and perfect. Sizes 2½ to 8. $1.95



$3 LOW SHOES, $1.95 You'll pay $3.00 for these self-same styles and grades elsewhere; choice of plain pumps, instep straps and Mary Jane styles; best values in St. Louis at $1.95



$3.50 High or Low Shoes for Men — Every pair welt sewn. This alone is a guarantee they are well made. Dull and patent English and high toe shapes. Button and lace; all sizes; at $2.45



WHITE-TOP SHOES For misses and children; high cut styles, button and lace, wide easy fitting shapes; about 500 pairs; sizes 11½ to 2, $1.69; sizes 8½ to 11, at $1.49

Mary Jane Pumps, patent and dull leathers; sizes 11½ to 2, $1.39; sizes 8½ to 11, $1.19; sizes 6 to 8 at..... $1.00



WHITE MARY JANE PUMPS 1000 pairs of girls' white canvas Mary Jane Pumps, white soles and heels, sizes 8½ to 2, $1.00



Scout Shoes For boys, the kind that stand the hardest wear. Come in tan leather only, with elk soles; sizes 1 to 5½, at $1.89

Great One-Day Sale of **TRIMMED HATS**



$5 to $7.50 Values

You can't judge these Trimmed Hats by the low price, you must see them and try them on to appreciate what a wonderful bargain this is. There are **Large Sailors** with hair edges; **Saucer Sailors** with crepe flange brims; side roll **Turbans**, stunningly trimmed in the latest fashion; black and colors..... $2.98

$2 Untrimmed Hats Milan Hemps, Shiny Braids, Jap Braids; in sailors, turbans and side rolls, black and colors..... 94c

Children's Hats Fine Straws and lace, prettily trimmed with ribbon and flowers, $2.50 and... 98c

Auction Purchase of HOSIERY, SHIRTS AND UNDERWEAR

Men's 65c Shirts or Drawers; all sizes; at..... 39c
Men's 15c Sox; all colors; special, per pair..... 9c
Men's $1.50 Union Suits; white or cream; at..... 89c
Men's 50c Shirts or Drawers; all sizes..... 23c
Women's 65c Fancy Silk Hose; all colors; pair..... 21c
Men's 75c Union Suits; all sizes; special at..... 29c
Men's $2 Silk-Front Shirts; all sizes; at..... 89c
Men's $1.50 Shirts; all sizes and colors; special at 69c
Men's 50c Belts; all sizes; Auction Sale Price... 10c
Men's 50c Neckwear; all colors; special, Saturday at..... 19c
Men's 39c Shirts or Drawers; all sizes..... 19c
Men's 50c Shirts or Drawers; all sizes..... 35c
Men's or Women's $3 Silk Umbrellas; not damaged.. $1.45
Women's $1 Union Suits; all sizes; special at..... 45c
Children's 19c Hose; sizes 5 to 9½; special..... 11c



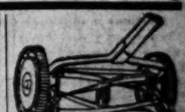
R. & G. Rustless Corset A splendid line of the very newest models, low or medium bust; all are extremely well boned; four strong supporters attached; models to fit the slender, average or stout; sizes 19 to 36..... $1.00

$1.50 Envelope Chemise In pink or white; beautifully trimmed with Val. lace and medallions.. $1.19

75c Muslin Petticoats Trimmed with deep flounce of embroidery and underlay; extra sizes included..... 50c



50c Paint; quality guaranteed; in all colors; quart, 32c



$5.75 Lawn Mower; 14-inch blade, steel ball bearings..... $3.98
$7.50 Three-Light Gas Shower; chain effect, complete with burners, mantles and globes..... $5.29
$5 guaranteed Garden Hose, ¾-in. wire wrapped; 50 feet complete with couplings, at..... $3.29



Specially Arranged Sales for Saturday Only

Charge purchases in this sale will be entered on May account, bill rendered June the first.

Garland's

We will give $5.00 to the first person bringing to our notice any misrepresentation or exaggeration in our advertisments, signs or price tags.

Coats, Special at

$8.95 $15 $23.75

Women's and Misses'

Day by day our display cases are graced by scores of newly-arrived models in coats. Day by day, also, scores of well-dressed women are learning anew the meaning of the term: "The right style, at the right time, at the right price."

Among the newest coats are many with high waist-lines; full-belted models are still in favor; harness stitching, novelty pockets, and separate silk collars continue in popularity.

At the three prices mentioned there are coats for every occasion: Motoring, travel, town, afternoon and sports wear. The most desirable styles and fabrics.

Poiret Twills, Gunniburls, Velour Plaids, Gabardines, Mannish Serge, Sharksteeh.

Suits, Special at

$12.95 $19.85 and $27.95

Women's and Misses'

Values From ¼ to ½ More

The kind of suits on which the Garland prestige for quality and distinction in outer wear was built and on which it stands.

Suits smart in line—conforming of course, to the authentic style trend—but revealing originality in cut and detail.

Gaberdine Suits	Serge Suits	Dressy Suits
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Gunniburl Suits	Sport Suits	Youthful Norfolk Suits
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New Skirts, Special



Silk Taffeta Skirts, in black, and in plaids and stripes, also black and navy serge and plaid and cross stripe gaberdine, in several new styles. Special Saturday (although worth much more) $4.98

Silk Skirts, in stripes, plaids and black. Also sport and street Skirts of serge, gaberdine and golf weaves. Special at.. $7.98

Smart Skirts, of black and navy serge, also plaid and check serge Skirts; values up to $4.50. Special Saturday, $2.50

See the new Wool Jersey Sport Skirts we're showing. Priced $15.00 to $29.50.

SUMMER FURS—SPECIAL

Selected Foxes in white and a wonderful assortment of the new shades. Extra values Saturday, $7.95 to $49.50

Silk and Voile Blouses

$1.95 and $2.95



There are charming lace trimmed Jap Silks, dainty Crepe de Chines, in white, flesh and pastel colors. Elaborate Lingeries, with huge, lavishly trimmed collar and cuffs. Large, frilly styles in white and flesh Voile, Tub Silk Sport Blouses, in white and the new stripes. Styles that were first shown in $5.00 and $6.00 Blouses, and faithfully reproduced to sell at the popular prices, $1.95 and $2.95. All sizes to 46.

Dainty Georgette Blouses. These are exceptionally smart, in all the high colors, light shades, flesh and white. A wide range of styles in all sizes. $4.95

Girls' and Juniors' Coats

(6 to 16 Years)

Values $5.00 to $20.00

$2.98 $4.98 and $7.95

This takes in over 350 Coats, that are worth from $5.00 to $20.00.



Sport Coats that the young miss can "dress up" in. Jaunty Norfolks and semi-box styles for town or country wear. Materials include velour, serge, poplin, gabardine and cheviot, in all the popular colors, and in just the weight for present and early Summer wear. (Second Floor.)

Children's White Dresses

Just received a new lot of dainty White Dresses, made of fine organdies and voiles—many pretty girlish styles to select from at

$3.98, $5.98, $7.98 and $10.00

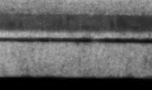
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DRAFT OF WAR TAX MEASURE WILL BE COMPLETED TODAY

Chairman Kitchin Probably Will Call Full Committee Monday to Consider Report.

NO TARIFF TAMPERING

Estimated Bill Will Raise $1,500,000,000, Which Is Less Than Secretary McAdoo Wants.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The subcommittee of the Ways and Means Committee which is drafting the war taxation bill will hold its final meeting today. All minor details of the bill will be adjusted and it will be ready to report to the full committee by tomorrow, but Chairman Kitchin probably will not call the committee together until Monday.

The excess profits tax has been tentatively fixed at 16 per cent on all profits of any corporation, firm or co-partnership when the profits are in excess of 8 per cent of the capital investment or $5000. The exemption of 8 per cent or $5000 remains the same as under last year's bill.

It has been decided that the corporations income tax shall remain as it has been.

The committee has definitely rejected Secretary McAdoo's plan to make the excess profits taxes retroactive so as to apply to the calendar year 1916. The committee also has tentatively rejected the proposal to make the increased income taxes retroactive to apply to 1916 and if this feature is put in the bill the full committee will have to do it.

The subcommittee has definitely rejected all propositions to tamper with the tariff and to levy excises taxes on coffee, tea and sugar.

Stamp Tax Articles.

The miscellaneous stamp taxes are to be assessed on the following: Bonds, certificates of stock, agreements of sale, promissory notes, certificates of profit memorandum of sales, conveyances, entries for withdrawal of goods from customs warehouses, insurance policies, power of attorney, to sell real estate, protests, seats in parlor and Pullman cars, telegraph and telephone messages. It is understood that the committee has added two or three articles to this list.

The tax on pasenger transportation will be levied on the basis of one cent for each 25 cent fare. Fares lower than 25 cents will be exempted from the tax. This tax will apply not only to steam railroads, but also to electric lines and domestic water transportation. The freight transportation tax will be on the basis of one cent on each 25 cents of freight bills.

The tax on refined petroleum will be on the basis of 10 per cent of the wholesale price. This tax will include gasoline. The proposal to tax gasoline by the gallon has been abandoned.

The tax on rectified spirits is a new one and will be fixed at 25 cents a gallon. This tax is expected to produce $12,500,000 annually.

To Raise $1,500,000,000.

Cigars will be taxed $6 a thousand, instead of the present rate of $3 a thousand. The tax on cigarettes will go up from $1.25 a thousand to $2.50 a thousand. Taxes on snuff and manufactured tobacco will be doubled. Wholesalers and jobbers of tobacco will pay a flat rate of $25 a year. They pay none at present. Retail tobacco dealers will pay $6 a year. They also pay no Federal tax at present.

The taxes on various classifications of wines will be doubled. Soft drinks mineral waters and near-beers will be taxed two cents a gallon.

Musical instruments will pay five per cent of their value at the factory.

As the bill stands the subcommittee has rejected approximately $700,000,000 of the taxes proposed by Secretary McAdoo. To make up this sum in part the committee has put some new taxes in the bill and has increased some of the McAdoo proposals. The total amount to be raised under the bill is far short of the $1,800,000,000 estimated by Secretary McAdoo.

The bill now is understood to contain provisions for taxes amounting to between $1,400,000,000 and $1,500,000,000.

NATIONAL SONGS IN BOOKLET

Words and Music Being Given Away by Bank and Trust Company.

Copies of the American national songs, words and music, including "Yankee Doodle," "The Star Spangled Banner," "America," "Dixie Land," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" and "The Red, White and Blue," are being distributed free by the St. Louis Union Trust Co. and the St. Louis Union Bank.

The bank and trust company suggest that every member of the family should make it a point to memorize the words of all the songs, and particularly the national anthem, "The Star Spangled Banner." The songs are printed in a booklet, the front page of which is decorated with a reproduction of the American flag.

Show Your Colors.

"Old Glory," printed on good paper with brilliant inks and all CUT OUT ready to be "stuck" in any window will be given FREE with the next Sunday Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and suburbs.

Auto Skids Into Car; Man Cut.

Jacob H. Lederman of 3853 Waterman avenue was driving an automobile south on the Twelfth street viaduct at 11 o'clock last night, when the machine skidded into a Cherokee car. Lederman and his wife, Mrs. Rose Silverstein of Chicago and Philip Jacobs of 5520 Berlin avenue were thrown out. Lederman's face was cut.

STUPENDOUS CASH PURCHASE

$150,000 Worth of New Spring Clothing Now on Sale at Shattered Prices

Here is a brief story of the most decisive money-saving victory this store has ever gained for the people of St. Louis. Late deliveries of piece goods from the mills, scarcity of labor and the great congestion of freight prevented several of America's noted clothing manufacturers from making delivery in time for the Easter trade. As a consequence, small retailers could accept only a portion of their former orders and the manufacturers were left with large quantities of fine clothing on their hands.

"Wire Weil" has become a market watchword when a spot cash clothing offer is wanted, and that was the method used by these Eastern manufacturers in this emergency. Our buying force responded immediately, and thus we were able to secure $150,000 worth of the choicest Spring clothing for men and boys at the lowest prices known since the outbreak of the European war. We're going to share the savings with our customers, and we want YOU to come and get your share. Just note these almost unheardof values, then come and see tomorrow.

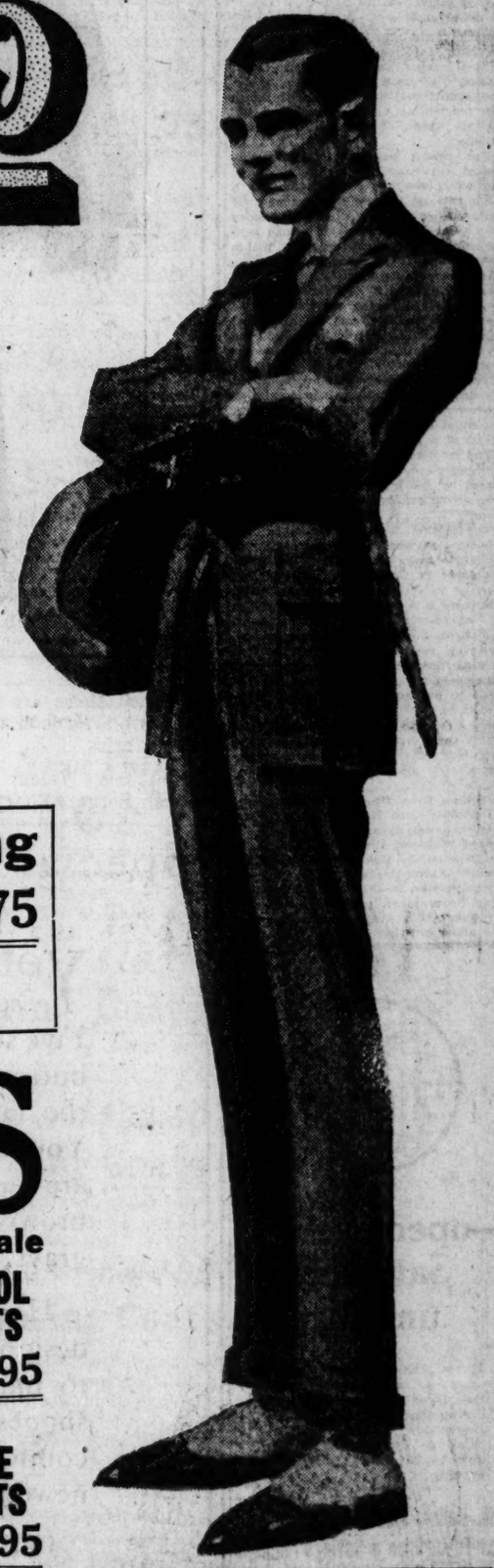
Thousands of $20 and $25 Suits

Choice—

Beautiful Patterns in Worsted Suits—
Suits in the Distinctive Spring Colors—
Suits of All-Wool Scotch Fabrics—
Fine Soft Weave Blue Serge Suits—
Nifty Cassimeres and Velours—
Green Flannel Belted Back Suits—
Newest Pinch-Back Models—
Snappy Slash-Pocket Styles—
Popular Double-Breasted Coats—
Suits for Extra-Stout Men—
Desirable Quarter-Lined Coats—
Suits for Tall and Slim Men—
Handsome Staple Worsted Suits—
Black and White Shepherd Checks—

Choice Without Reserve in This Stupendous Cash Purchase at $13.35.

$13.35



Men's $12 Spring SUITS $7.75

A vast selection of perfect fitting cassimere and all-wool blue serge Suits—including an especially fine assortment of young men's styles—all the newest Spring patterns—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $15 Spring SUITS $10

A wonderful assortment of sizes, styles and fabrics to meet the widely varied demands of particular dressers—all the wanted materials including fine blue serge—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $30 Spring SUITS $16.75

Hundreds of handsome custom tailored Suits in the distinctive Spring patterns—rich appearing pure wool fabrics—complete range of sizes—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

MEN'S PANTS

Hundreds of pairs were secured in this stupendous cash purchase and are offered now at amazingly low prices.

Men's $2 Pants $1.35

A great variety of neat fancy mixtures in good serviceable cassimeres and worsteds—sizes 28 to 48 waist—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..

Men's $3 Pants $2.00

This great group contains a wonderful assortment of excellent Scotches, worsteds and cassimeres—28 to 52—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $4 Pants $2.45

Extra quality fancy worsteds and all-wool blue serge in sizes 28 to 46—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $5 Pants $3.00

A vast selection of excellent worsteds and cassimeres; in all sizes to 48 waist—faultlessly tailored and perfect in fit—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $6 Pants $3.85

Hundred of pairs of elegant worsted Trousers to choose from—pretty stripes and fancy mixtures—28 to 50—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

Men's $7.50 Pants $4.85

Finest quality worsted pants in scores of pretty stripe effects—all the spring colors and patterns—priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at.....

BOYS' SUITS

At Immense Savings in This Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale

BOYS' $3 CASSIMERE SUITS

Here's a durable cassimere suit for boys 7 to 17 that will greatly surprise you. Perfectly tailored in the newest pinch-back and pleated models. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $1.95

BOYS' $4.50 DURABLE SUITS

Exceptionally strong, well made pinch-back suits, in pretty grays, browns and the black and white mixed cassimeres, 7 to 17. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $2.95

BOYS' $6 TWO-PANTS SUITS

Newest pinch-back models in the desirable flannel, Scotch and cassimere fabrics; a large number have two pair full-lined knickers. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $3.95

BOYS' $7.50 ALL-WOOL SUITS

Excellent 1 and 2-pants suits in a vast selection of fine wool fabrics, such as Scotches, cassimeres and fancy cheviots; also the popular Shepherd checks. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $4.95

BOYS' $9 PURE WOOL SUITS

Handsome pure wool suits in the newest gray, brown and green fancy mixtures. Nearly all have 2 pair of full cut and full lined knickers. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase at..... $5.95

BOYS' HANDSOME $10.50 SUITS

Elegant pinch-back suits for boys 8 to 18. Strictly hand tailored throughout, of fine all-wool materials, in the latest stripes and fancy mixtures. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase at..... $6.95

BOYS' $6 ALL-WOOL BLUE SERGE SUITS

A wonderful value in all-wool blue serge suits. Thoroughly well tailored, in the stylish pinch-back models; full cut and lined knickers. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $3.95

BOYS' $7.50 PURE WOOL SERGE SUITS

Just let your boy try on one of these excellent pure worsted blue serge suits and you'll readily appreciate the wonderful value; sizes 7 to 17. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase at..... $4.95

BOYS' $10.50 FINE WEAVE SERGE SUITS

You'll have to pay at least $10.50 elsewhere for a fine weave blue serge suit such as this. Newest pinch-back styles and sizes 8 to 18. Priced in this Stupendous Cash Purchase Sale at..... $6.95

BOYS' KNICKERS

75c Heavy Khaki and Cassimere Pants 59c

Strongly sewed and well made throughout—7 to 17—Saturday at.....

$1.50 Full Cut and Full Lined Knickers 98c

Excellent wool fabrics in the new Spring patterns—Saturday at.....

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All goods bought up to 9 P. M. Saturday can be altered and made ready in time to wear Sunday, if desired.

$50,000,000 LOAN WILL BE MADE BY U. S. TO BELGIUM

That Country to Share Equally With Italy in America's Aid to Allies in War.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Belgium is to share the bounty of the United States on an equal footing with other nations at war with Germany.

The amount to be loaned to the Belgian Government has not been definitely determined, but it will approximate $50,000,000, about the same sum which it is proposed to loan to Italy, whose needs are very pressing.

Belgium and Italy come first in the calculations of this Government, with Russia next. Negotiations are proceeding between Washington and Petrograd, through Ambassador Francis, to determine the sum the new Russian democracy requires at once. While in official circles there prevails an earnest desire to give the preference to France, for sentimental and practical reasons, her momentary needs are not so acute as are those of Belgium, Italy and Russia.

The recent loan of $150,000,000 negotiated by France in this country, and for which she was compelled to pay a high rate of interest, has temporarily relieved her requirements in the money line. But France is to be treated generously. She can ask anything within reason and it will be provided with the greatest pleasure by the United States. Just what she does need will be determined at the conference to be held between Secretary McAdoo, M. Viviani, the executive head of the French Commission, and Ambassador Jusserand.

The French Government has indicated its desire to have any help from this Government to take the form of a loan on equal conditions with its allies, instead of a gift, such as has been proposed by many thousands of citizens as an appreciation of the great service rendered by the people of France during the struggles for American independence.

The original plan considered by this Government was to turn over to Great Britain a large part of the $3,000,000,000 set aside by Congress for the twofold purpose of increasing the pressure on Germany and relieving the necessities of her enemies. Since the coming of the British and French Commissions, however, the Government has decided to deal directly with each nation. The suggestion that this be done is understood to have come from the representatives of Great Britain, who expressed the desire to be relieved of the burdens which their country assumed since the beginning of the war in financing her allies.

Belgians Give Dinner for Whitlock.

HAVRE, April 27.—The Belgian Cabinet yesterday gave a dinner in honor of Brand Whitlock, the American Minister to Belgium, to welcome his arrival in Havre. Baron Beyens, the Belgian Foreign Minister, in the name of the Belgian Government, proposed a toast to President Wilson and to the honor of the allied Americans.



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There's a Hart Schaffner & Marx suit here for every age, taste and figure

YOUNG MEN! Have you seen the new Varsity Fifty Five suits; in one, two and three buttons with the latest ideas in the lapels, cuffs, and pockets? You ought to. The colorings are the new metal shades, copper browns, greens, blues, silver grays, overplaids, checks, stripes.

Hart Schaffner & Marx have designed these clothes to drape; to hang loosely and easily; to suggest the natural figure; a comfortable lounge effect—the newest idea in designing.

Older men like these styles too; the two elderly men in the picture are wearing them. We're ready to show you.

MEN OF UNUSUAL BUILD! No matter whether you're tall, heavy, stout or short, we can fit you in Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes and in authoritative style; sacks, dress clothes, or frocks—anything you need.

For your sake we say "Quality first"

It's no trick to appeal to people with a "cheap" price. We could do it but we won't; it wouldn't be fair to you because we know that the only real economy in clothes lies in quality.

That's why we carry only the best goods—not the highest priced goods nor the lowest priced goods—but merchandise that gives you the most for your money.

Such clothes outwear others; they're the lowest priced clothes in the end; and *we guarantee* them to satisfy you or your money back.

SPORT SUITS—This is the big idea for young men and this is the sport suit store. Hart Schaffner & Marx have provided us with exclusive designs; models you won't see elsewhere and they're just the styles you're looking for.

Belt suits with yokes and plaits, single and double-breasted models, belts at the back, three-quarter belts, belts all around. You never saw a better feast of good things. You'll enjoy "looking" and we'll enjoy "showing."

What we can show you here at $25 is truly remarkable. Silk-lined suits, half, three-quarter and full-lined; exclusive fabrics.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits $20, $25, $30, $35, $40 and $45

The St. Louis Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes and Florsheim Shoes

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Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

SALOON MAN CALLS $125 STUD "PHONY;" ROBBERS REJECT IT

They Flee With $50 Cash When Woman, Called by Icebox Buzzer, Summons Help.

Angel Fuqua, a saloon keeper at 1822 Elliott avenue, was prepared to summon help when robbers forced him into his icebox last night. He had a push button in the box connected with a buzzer in his wife's room upstairs.

Mrs. Fuqua heard the buzzer and called for help from a window. A passerby ran in and released Fuqua, but the robbers had fled, taking about $50 from the cash register.

Joseph D. Frick Jr., 2545 Maiden lane, a customer, was talking to Fuqua when three men entered and covered them with revolvers, forcing both into the icebox. One of the men examined a $125 diamond stud which Fuqua was wearing. Fuqua told him the stone was "phony" and he did not take it.

Saloon keepers at various times have devised plans for giving an alarm when put in the icebox by robbers. One, several years ago, had a telephone installed in the box so that he could call for the police. Others have kept revolvers in their iceboxes and have shot through the glass doors at robbers who had made them prisoners.

Rabbi J. Leonard Levy Dies.

PITTSBURG, April 27.—Rabbi J. Leonard Levy, pastor of the Rodef Shalom Synagogue of this city, and one of the most prominent Jewish clergymen of the country, died last night following a short illness from pneumonia. Rabbi Levy was born in London, England, Nov. 24, 1865.

FORMER ST. LOUISAN WOUNDED

Son of Commander of Lighthouse Tender in Canadian Unit.

Thomas B. Good, commander of the lighthouse tender Oleander, docked at the foot of Arsenal street, has received notification from the British War Office that his son, Lee M. Good, was wounded on April 12 in the fighting around Lens. Young Good is a member of an engineering unit sent to the front from Ottawa, Canada.

The notice from London gave no details, merely stateing that Good was in a hospital at Camiers, France. For many years the Good family lived in St. Louis, but a few years ago they moved to Memphis. Lee Good is 30 years old and joined the Canadian forces in May, 1916.

ALL BRANDS OF SEWING MACHINES, 75c A WEEK

$1.50 Metal Girdles
The new fashion girdles; metal, celluloid and leather trimmed; special, Saturday,
95c

Lowest Prices Our Chief Attraction
Schaper STORES CO.
SIXTH & WASHINGTON

Specials in Toilet Goods
Woodbury's Face Powder 15c
Lily Brand Talcum; large size 5c
Colgate's Shaving Stick; small size 8c
Pure Witch Hazel Lustre-ite Nail Polish; large size 19c
Pear's Unscented Soap 9c

Children's Wear, 1-2 Price
Fancy White Lawn Dresses
High waisted or French styles; lace and embroidery trimmed; sizes 2 to 6 (2d Fl.). 49c
Children's Spring Coats
Woolen mixtures, pique collars, belted styles; sizes 2 to 6 (Second Floor) 98c
Children's Rompers
Colors pink, blue and tan (Second Floor) 10c
Children's Sample Hats; values up to $1.00 (Second Floor) 10c

$5.00 White Trimmed HATS
Beautiful Hats of white Milan hemp, Milan and plain hemp; all new shapes; cleverly trimmed with wings, ostrich bands, grosgrain ribbon and flowers; $6.00 values; Saturday $2.00
Children's Trimmed Hats
In many different styles of hemp and Milan straws, trimmed with pretty ribbon rosettes, flowers and velvet streamers; black, white and colors; Saturday only $1.00

COATS Prices Cut
Values up to $15.00
Latest styles
Latest materials
Latest colorings
In Women's and Misses' sizes and every coat desirable. These coats on sale Saturday only, 2nd Floor, Schaper's.
$5.98

Factory Reject Sale of Men's and Women's Shoes
The high cost of Shoes will have no terrors for the shrewd buyers who attend this sale.
Ladies' $3 and $4 High and Low Shoes, in patent and dull leathers, lace and button, at $1.55
Boys' Gunmetal Button, a good fitting last 99c
Ladies' Vici Kid House Slippers at 98c
Children's Patent and Mary Jane Pumps at 98c
Children's Kid Leather Shoes; values up to $1.25. 25c
Child's Patent and Kid in lace and button High Shoes; also Mary Janes and Strap Slippers, at 49c
Men's Gunmetal Button and Bluchers, with high toes with hemlock soles; reinforced shank; a good range of sizes at $1.99

A Harvest for Shirt Buyers
$2.00 and $1.50 Shirts
Silk fronts, Reps., Togo Cloth Penangs, Mercerized Fabrics, etc. Soft French cuffs, laundered cuffs, neckband, in fact all kinds of Shirts, even white pleats; your choice Saturday 97c
$5.00 Men's Silk Shirts; all the latest Spring styles and patterns; special (Main Fl.) at $2.98
Russian Cords, Penangs, Silk Mercerized Pongee, Woven Madras, Fine Percale; all in attractive patterns; soft-laundered French turn-back cuffs, laundered cuffs, negligees (Main Floor) 50c
Men's Collars—Men's regular 15c Soft Collars; special, Saturday only, ea. 7½c
Safety Razors—An exceptional value for Saturday only (Main Floor) 25c
25c P. & F. Suspenders—A good durable webbing, strong calfskin ends; in all stripes and colors (Main Floor) 14c

Men's & Young Men's $15 Suits
$8.88
Cassimeres and worsted in a large selection of patterns. These are broken lots of better grades; also blue serges in pinch-back and conservative models; all sizes up to 44 (Third Floor) $8.88
$10 Suits
For Men and Young Men
These are extraordinary values at this low price; all wool cassimeres and worsteds, dependable merchandise in a large selection of fabrics; sizes 32 to 44 (Third Floor) $6.95
$18 Suits
For Men and Young Men
We show an elegant line at this price in all Wool Cassimeres and Worsteds, also Shepherd Checks and all wool blue serges, in the season's newest models; sizes 32 to 44 (Third Floor) $11.75

Boys' $6 Blue Serge Suits
$3.85
(For Saturday Only)
Boys' narrow weave wool serge Suits—fast dye—made in the latest pinch-back models, with full lined trousers, sizes 10 to 18 years $3.85
Boys' Two-Pants Suits
New pinch-back models in dark and medium shades of cheviots and cassimeres, in neat patterns and checks. Some with 2 pair trousers. Saturday only (Third Floor) $1.98
Shepherd Check Topcoats
A $2.50 value Spring Reefer for the little fellow nicely made in a combination pinch-belted back, sizes 2 to 8 years. Saturday only (Third Floor) $1.79

1/8 in. Thick. All sizes. $1.29
READY MIXED HOUSE PAINTS
Paint, ready mixed; all colors for floor or house; guaranteed; quart 39c
45c Garden Rakes, large size; or hoes; special at 25c
200-ft. roll Poultry Wire, 4 ft. high. $1.19

Women's $3 Wool Serge Suits—Basement
Full flare models; neatly made, with belt and patch pockets; navy and black; all sizes to 30 waist measure (Basement).. $1.99
50c Middies
Red and blue collars and cuffs; fine white linene. (Basement) 19c
$5.00 Coats
Women's and Misses' Spring Coats, in assorted colors and sizes. (Basement) $1.00
Children's Dresses'
$1.00 quality, made of plaid gingham and fast colored percale; all sizes. (Basement) 49c
39c Underwear
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; all sizes. (Basement) 25c

ALL BRANDS OF SEWING MACHINES, 75c A WEEK

Flower Specials
FIVE THOUSAND Home Grown Roses at special price, per dozen 25c
FIVE THOUSAND Home Grown Carnations at special price, per dozen 25c
BUTTERFLY Sweet Peas—special bunch 10c
One thousand hardy Pot Plants at half price.
(Main Floor—The Lindell)

We Give and Redeem Lamb Stamps

Lindell DRY GOODS CO.

A Full Book of Lamb Stamps Worth $2.50 in Cash, $3.00 in Merchandise.

Why Stand in Line?
WHEN you can buy tickets for the Cardinal's games at the Lindell Public Service Bureau.
Reserved seat tickets, $1
Grand stand admission, 75c
Tomorrow—
Cardinals vs. Cubs
(Main Floor—The Lindell)



THE most extraordinary bargain effort that has been put forth by any St. Louis store in several years will be told of in detail in next Sunday's Post-Dispatch and Globe Democrat, for
On Monday The Lindell D. G. Company Will Begin Its
Second Anniversary Sale
Bargain-loving individuals will read every word of our announcement next Sunday—plan to be here without fail!

MEN'S SHIRTS
97c

ONE HUNDRED dozen men's fine quality Shirts, of rep cloth and percales, in all the newest Summer styles and patterns; all made with French turn-back cuffs, and all sizes from 14 to 18.
MEN'S $1 TIES
55c
JUST 50 dozen fine quality Silk Four-in-Hand Ties, in a wide variety of styles and the newest Summer patterns, with extra large shapes.
(Main Floor—The Lindell.)

Mr. Man! A Great Purchase and Sale
600 Hand-Tailored Suits $14.75
Worth $20, $22.50 and $25—to Go Saturday at
THIS great purchase involves the sample lines of a famous New York manufacturer whose name we are not allowed to use—but you'll see his label on the garments—there are Suits of very correct styles for Spring and Summer wear—pinch-back and belted models—single and double breasted models in a broad range of new patterns and mixtures and popular plain shades, including blue serges. All sizes for men of all proportions—regular, stout and slim—choose from 600 Suits—at $14.75.

Men's and Young Men's $12.50 Suits
PINCH-BACK and conservative models in fine assortment of new mixtures and snappy patterns, as well as staples, for all sizes from 32 to 42. Choice Saturday at $9.75
Mothers of Boys—Read This!
YOU can save on the boys' outfit here Saturday—we've just received 400 wonderful new Norfolk Suits, each with two pairs full lined knickers. New mixtures and patterns, as well as plain shades, plenty of pure worsted blue serges, with one pair full lined knickers; sizes 6 to 18 years; on sale Saturday at $4.95
Boys' Hats
In a special Saturday sale at less than regular—Straw Hats and Cloth Hats, in a fine assortment of newest shapes and colorings for boys of all ages, at 49c & 95c
(Second Floor—The Lindell.)


Sale Girls' Sample Coats
Coats of serges, poplins, Poiret twill and silk faille, in all the season's most wanted colors, as well as plaids, stripes, checks and mixtures.

Sizes 2 to 6	Sizes 2 to 6	Sizes 2 to 14	Sizes 6 to 14
$2.50 values	*$3.50 values*	*$7.50 values*	*$10.00 values*
$1.50	$2.50	$5.00	$6.75

(Second Floor—The Lindell.)

Candy Special
FRESH from our own factory—fresh strawberries dipped in cream and milk chocolate—extra special, lb. 35c
Heavenly Hash, box 19c
Old-Fashioned Taffies and Brittles, lb. 20c
(Main Floor.)

35c Stockings, *19c*
WOMEN'S mercerized stockings, in a large variety of colors and white—high spliced heel and toe—slight irregulars.
Bargain Square O

An Important New York Purchase and
SALE OF COATS
ENORMOUS quantities of Coats purchased by the Neusteter organization at special price concessions, and tomorrow we offer the smartest styles of the season at less than actual cost.
$9.50 *for $14.75 and $16.75*
New Spring Coats
FINE wool velours, poplins, coverts, checks and mixtures. A large selection of most wanted styles and all the new colors.
$14.50 *for $18.50 and $22.50*
New Spring Coats
SMARTEST styles in taffeta and the popular woolen cloths. All the new shades, also black and navy, and sizes up to 52-inch bust measurement.
$23.50 *for $27.00 and $35*
Finest Spring Coats
BOLIVIAS, burella, serges, poiret twill, wool and suede velour, silk faille, silk taffeta and silk Jersey, in all the beautiful styles and colors, and all sizes.
Come Early for These Wonderful Coat Values.

$9.50
(Third Floor—The Lindell.)

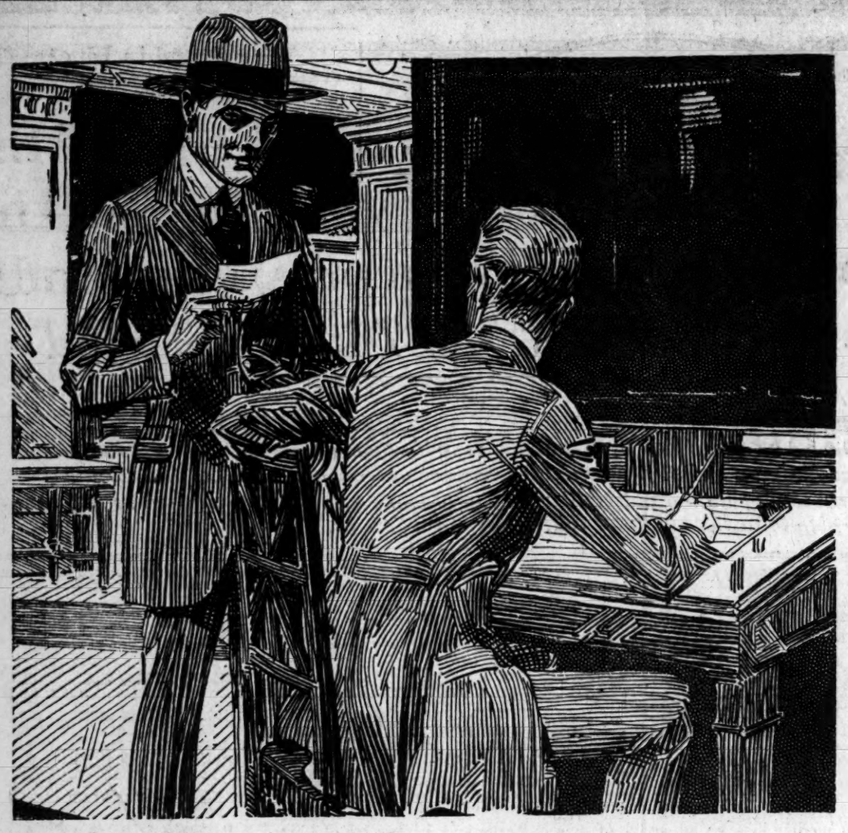
Women's $4.50 White Canvas
High and Low Shoes
Pair, $3.45
THE most wanted styles for this season—made on the newest lasts and patterns. Included are white canvas, Colonial pumps, white canvas 9-inch boots, white canvas sport shoes, white canvas sport Oxfords, white canvas dress Oxfords. All come with Goodyear welted soles and soles and heels finished white—come in all sizes—pair, $3.45.

Women's $3.50 New Spring Pumps
PATENT Colonial pumps, patent opera pumps, dull kid pumps, patent pumps, with white canvas inlaid; strap slippers, in patent or gunmetal, bronze kid pumps and many others. Come with high dress heels or low walking heels. Assorted on tables to make quick choosing, pair $1.99
Canvas Mary Jane Pumps
INFANTS', misses' and children's white canvas Mary Jane Pumps, made with stitchdown soles and neat tailored bow; come in sizes 5 to misses' 2; pair 79c
(Main Floor—The Lindell.)

Children's Trimmed Hats
Choice $1.98
CHILDREN'S Tailored and Dress Hats—every hat is of the newest style and latest shapes of the season—finest materials are used in trimming—on sale special for Saturday.
Special—Banded Hats at $1.49
New Banded Hats
INCLUDING Milan, fine Lisiere and cushion brims. On sale, special for Saturday, in prices ranging from $2.98 to $8.98
(Third Floor—The Lindell.)

Silk Gloves, *49c*
WOMEN'S 2-clasp double tip pure Silk Gloves—heavy quality and splendid fitting Glove—beautiful shades of light and medium tan and brown—sizes from 6 to 9.
Kayser Silk Gloves
WOMEN'S Kayser Gloves in Tricot and Milanese—2-clasp, guaranteed double tip—embroidered in two-tone, self and solid black, white and colors—special—pair 60c to $1.25
Men's $1.25 Gloves
HEAVY quality pure silk double tip Gloves—wonderful values—comfortable for Spring wear—gray with heavy embroidery in self and black—special, pair 75c
(Main Floor.)

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Main Floor—Aisle 7



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Third Floor

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Men's New Spring Suits



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Man Tells Police She Was Seized From Behind, and $5 Stolen.

Bert Renard of 2210 Eugenia street reported to the police today that he found his wife, Anna, 20 years old, bound and gagged in their rooms when he returned home last night. He said she was lying on the floor, semi-conscious. She was unable to explain how she had been bound, he said, remembering only that she had been seized from behind while she was looking out of a window.

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MUSTERING TO END TONIGHT

Company F of First Regiment Last to Be Taken Into Federal Service.

The mustering into the Federal service of the First Regiment, Missouri Infantry, will be completed tonight by Capt. Localin W. Caffey, U. S. A., senior mustering officer, and tomorrow he will notify the Central Department of the army at Chicago that the regiment is ready for service.

All companies of the regiment have been mustered in except F, which is stationed at the free bridge, and arrangements were made to take it in today.

SUPERINTENDENT OF CATHOLIC PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS HERE DIES

The Rev. Father A. V. Garthoeffner Had Been at Head of the System for Seven Years.

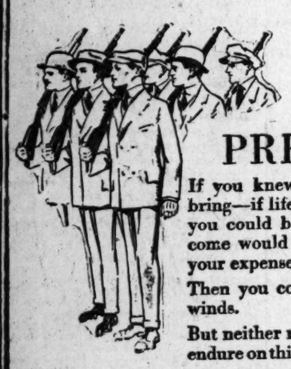
The Rev. Father A. V. Garthoeffner, 43 years old, superintendent of St. Louis Roman Catholic parochial schools, died of stomach trouble at his home, 2122 Twelfth street, at 2:40 a. m. today. He had been ill nearly two years.

His death occurred almost exactly three months after that of the superintendent of St. Louis Public Schools Ben Blewett, who died suddenly in Washington Jan. 26 last.

Father Garthoeffner had been at the head of the parochial school system for seven years and had been a priest 21 years. He formerly was pastor of St. Mary's Church.

Women Admitted to Moscow Bar.

LONDON, April 27.—Reuter's Moscow correspondent says that four women lawyers have been admitted to the Moscow bar. The correspondent adds that these are the first women to be accorded this privilege.



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CHAMP CLARK'S MONSTROUS PERFIDY.

From the New York Sun.

The sun of Champ Clark has set, definitely and finally without hope of another rising.

Never before has the nation been able so clearly to see that the intrigues which in 1912 deprived Clark of a nomination he had fairly won operated as if they had been providentially inspired for the national good. For him, after this Congress, in which he is but a petty force for evil, shall have ended, there is nothing left but the dry rot which overtakes the discredited and repudiated politician. He has committed political hara-karri.

"So far as Missourians are concerned," said Clark, "there is very little difference between a conscript and a convict."

So much the worse for Missourians if this monstrous assertion were true. But it is not. It is a bald and treacherous lie, intended to support a pro-German vote at the expense of the reputation of the Speaker's constituents for intelligence and patriotism. Facts readily marshalled disprove it. All the leading newspapers of Missouri are for the principle of the selective draft. A poll of the larger centers of the State just completed shows a majority of five to one against the volunteer system. Mexico, the largest town in Clark's district, was apparently unanimous against it, so far as the expressions of representative men could indicate.

Yet Champ Clark, long honored by Missouri and by his party, has the effrontery to compare the conscript with the convict, to declare that for the Government to say to an eligible and patriotic citizen: "I call you to my defense," is to put upon one thus highly honored "the slur of being a conscript!"

This is enough of Clark. Between his ingrained Bourbonism, which stopped his intellectual progress 30 years ago, and his pro-Germanism, which was notorious at the time the McLemore resolution was pending in the House, he is unfit for influential place today. Pique and jealously have made him antagonize the President's policies continually. The antagonism has been futile, of course, and could hitherto be ignored. Even in this instance his attack on the vital measure for the defense of the nation will prove ineffective, but it must not be ignored. It must be resented and repudiated. The passage of the draft law, which is clearly foreshadowed, and which is all important to our national safety, will be the first step in this repudiation.

It is a long time before the next election of Representatives, but when the time comes around the nation is likely to forget that the Democratic Speaker, the Democratic floor leader and the Democratic chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs all united to deny to the United States the means of defense against a menacing and cruel enemy. For this betrayel of the nation to the foe not only Champ Clark, but the party responsible for him will surely be held to stern account.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Denounces "Die Amerika."

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I see "Die Amerika" assails the Catholic Archbishops, for pledging the support of the Catholics of America to help this country, I think "Die Amerika" ought to call their paper "Die Berlin." Anyone who objects to either Catholics or any other religion helping this country ought to be sent back where they belong. The Catholic Archbishop does well to "brand them as enemies of freedom." AN AMERICAN CATHOLIC.

Raise Flag in Lafayette Park.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

It is surprising to American citizens living in the vicinity of Lafayette Park that there is no flag flying on its flag pole. This absence of a flag has continued for two months. Another astonishing thing is that the park faces Mayor Kiel's home and that he has not arranged to have a flag hung. Why not take down the flag pole if we cannot have a flag or 'pass the hat' and any loyal American will contribute for a flag.

A LOYAL AMERICAN.

Women to Arms!

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Should women take to arms? They will if men stand back and they will rule and save our land with women's strength. Now, men, take note or we will vote to save our flag. Come, now, men of honor, and show your love for your country and your flag. Our country needs you. Go, bow your heads in shame, you "slackers." Girls, beware of men like those, stand up alone and help your country in this time of need of war. America above all. MRS. C. M. W.

Hospitality?

From the Kansas City Star.

"Won't you take a chair?"

"Thanks, no. I always feel that I can talk better standing."

"Yes, yes. Do sit down."

WORK FOR THE NAVY.

The navy must be recruited by the volunteer system, not only for this emergency, but for the war. No provision is being made for a selective draft system for the navy. The number of men it needs is so much less than required for the army and its service is so attractive that it is not believed conscription will be necessary.

The young men who volunteer for the navy will not be drafted into the army. They will avoid conscription and will rank as volunteers.

The quota of the St. Louis district is 1200 men of whom 900 are lacking, with seven days remaining in which to recruit them. St. Louis should easily supply 100 men a day for this service.

One of the worst features of the volunteer system are the bitter anti-slacker campaigns in which men of honor, patriotism and sensibility are unnecessarily humiliated. It frequently hurts men who are not eligible and drives to enlistment men who should not enlist, at least, until other groups less useful in other fields and with less home responsibilities are exhausted.

We do not believe there is need for this kind of a campaign in St. Louis. There is need for energetic, systematic work in finding the young men who ought to enlist and impressing upon them the duty and privilege of serving the country in the navy. There are thousands of this class in St. Louis and the surrounding district.

As the Mayor suggests, St. Louisans who cannot enlist or who have no sons to offer should urge young men friends who are eligible to enlist.

Every St. Louisan can and should help in this work. Let us prove that there is no lack of patriotic spirit and willingness to serve in any field where service is needed.

The recruiting station is 114 North Seventh street. Pack it with eligible recruits.

German submarines missed four succulent prizes in the past few days, the two steamers carrying the French and British commissioners, the 32,000-ton freighter Statendam on its maiden trip and the Dutch steamer that brought $2,000,000 in diamonds to New York.

"FOOD HOGS."

War and possible food stringency has brought to the front a new kind of patriot, the patriot who "conserves" the food supply by filling his cellar for his own benefit. The number of these patriots and the extent of their "conservation" is only limited by their purchasing capacity, the quantity of foodstuffs on the market or the willingness of dealers to sell to them.

The effect of this sort of patriotism is to precipitate precisely the condition which the country is trying to escape. Cellars of the few filled with food means mouths of the many not filled with food. Full cellars here and there mean empty cellars everywhere else. Buying up and storing food creates an artificial scarcity which imposes as many hardships as real scarcity.

Many grocers, more patriotic than their customers, are refusing to sell them supplies in the quantities they desire, but in many cellars and pantries staples enough to last for months are stacked up. The resultant scarcity, even though it is artificial, forces the prices higher and higher. Poor people who cannot afford to fill their cellars have to pay the artificially produced high prices.

Distributors of food products say that there is enough, with possibly a few exceptions, to supply the reasonable needs of everybody until the next crops are available, if each takes only his own share. The present serious shortage of some staples and the prospect of greater scarcity are caused by those who take their own shares and the shares of others.

"Food hogs," at such a time as this, are striking at the nation's sustenance.

A Socialist Democrat rose in the German Reichstag the other day and began making a speech about the distress in Prussia. He was refused permission to continue. Sounds just like a meeting of the Duma before the final metamorphosis.

A SHOW-DOWN IN PATRIOTISM.

The lamentable showing on the part of the East is the conspicuous feature of a comparative statement issued at Washington on volunteers for military service from the different states.

The comparison is made, of course, according to population, the only way such a comparison could be made. Missouri's war quota of new recruits is placed at 6586, of which it had furnished, in the third week after the declaration of war, 1315, or 19.9 per cent. Missouri, in the list of 48 states, stands thirteenth in the percentage of recruits furnished, a low enough rank, but no Eastern state stands higher. Indeed, the Eastern State of nearest rank is Pennsylvania, which is sixteenth. Most Eastern states are much farther down the list.

New York has furnished 2677 recruits, but with its great population this was only 14.6 per cent of the quota assigned to it and its rank is twenty-fifth. No Eastern state except Pennsylvania stands above New York. Massachusetts is thirty-fourth and Maine thirty-sixth. Vermont makes the poorest showing of all, having furnished but 18 of the 710 recruits expected of her, or 2.5 per cent, and standing forty-eighth.

The contrast with this showing of the West, and especially the Far West, is striking. Nevada, first in the list, had furnished 94.4 per cent of its quota. Oregon, Indiana and Utah stand next; Illinois is fifth. Kansas, supposedly pacifist, is sixth and Georgia seventh. The South, outside of Virginia, the Carolinas and Mississippi, which are about on a level with the average in Eastern states, makes, in fact, an excellent showing.

In its assumption of guardianship over the patriotism of America, the press of the East has repeatedly expressed grave misgivings about the interior of the country, its anxiety increasing in ratio of the distance of a state from the Atlantic. The official data shows that if there is any pacifist territory, it must be looked for east of the Alleghanies. The loyal Americanism of the West is given cause for serious uneasiness over the East's relative unresponsiveness to call.

Is Kaiserism to be put down by the 18 recruits from rock-ribbed Vermont?

A PROVEN FAILURE.

During the period from April 1 to 24—more than three weeks—the Government had received 32,007 enlistments for the army by the volunteer system, out of 184,000 called for. In short, in three weeks and three days, 16.1 per cent of the men sought for had been recruited.

If enlistments continued at the same rate it would take, at least, five months to obtain a full quota of 184,000 men. But the rate of enlistments invariably diminishes with time. After the first few weeks it becomes increasingly difficult to obtain men.

After the men have been enlisted they must be trained for months. About a year would be required to recruit and train an army of 184,000 men.

How long would it take to enlist and train 1,000,000 men by the volunteer system? While the mossback, addlepated Senators and Representatives who oppose the selective draft bill are praising the volunteer system and demanding a test of it the proof of the failure of the volunteer system is written in the recent records of the Government recruiting stations. It is written in the recent experience of England as it has long been written in the pages of history.

The volunteer system of raising armies is a demonstrated failure.

THE REICHSTAG SENT HOME.

The Reichstag met under conditions very similar to those under which the Duma met six weeks ago. Industrial strikes, food riots, demands for political reforms, protests against the conduct of the war were all expressions of various forms of national unrest. Violent demonstrations and illuminating exposures were predicted for the session of the Reichstag, just as they had been predicted for the session of the Duma. Then, to make the parallel complete, the imperial authorities prorogued the Reichstag until May, just as the Duma was prorogued to delay an impending crisis.

The German temperament differs from the Slavonic. Perhaps democracy is not yet nerved to strike at Berlin. But after the blows autocracy has received of late and with the Petrograd precedent so fresh, it must have required all the assurance German imperialism possessed to dam up the outlet of discontent by sending the Legislature home.

REMEDIES FOR PRICE EXTORTION.

A congressional inquiry into prices results in this verdict:

> No just ground exists for such prices as are demanded of the consumer for many products at this time.

Misleading reports as to shortages, held-up shipments and speculative market manipulation are assigned as contributing to the extortion practiced on the public. How much prices are influenced by foreign demand and how little relief would be given by an embargo can be inferred from the finding that potatoes, eggs and onions, of which exports are almost negligible, have scored the greatest advance in prices.

Is there no need to supplement national measures for the control of markets by local agencies? Probably some time will elapse before protection on a country-wide scale is afforded the public as a necessary part of the war program. While consumers are being heavily penalized in the meantime, does no duty rest on State Attorney-Generals and county prosecuting officers, backed by a formidable body of law?

A writ in equity restraining collusive advances may be made an effective antidote to exorbitant prices. What would have happened if the Circuit Attorney had resorted to this remedy to save the public from the hardship of high prices in this market? What would St. Louisans be paying now for sugar, if he had instantly applied it to the sugar dealers, whose advances were made, as the Post-Dispatch has showed, in defiance of enlarged visible supply?

One of the advantages of such proceedings is that they often give results long before they are concluded. Prices come tumbling down as soon as the application for the writ is filed.

You look to the navy to save the United States from invasion and the navy looks to you to man its fighting units. The navy will do its part; will you do yours?

GERMANY'S OFFICIAL MOTHERS.

There are apparently credible reports reaching this country from Prussia that in that land of superior culture the Government has recurred to certain social practices of the 30 years' war to retrieve as far as possible the losses in population.

Reverting to the German author, Anton Gindely, in his history of that period, he says:

> The greatest difference between the armies of the Thirty Years' War and those of a later date is found in the fact that soldiers then took their wives and children with them. * * * The relation of the soldiers to their wives varied in strength and cordiality according to the person; in general they were rude alliances, which accident formed and dissolved.

Gindely says that toward the close of the war the army of women and children who followed the soldiers had multiplied beyond belief; and it was this population that was looked upon as in part making good the losses of the war.

The discipline of modern armies absolutely forbids such encumbrances today and it occurs only in such backwood states as that of Mexico, for example. The expedient Germany is said to have adopted today, however, is an official ignoring of the institution of marriage, while preaching the universal obligation of motherhood, to supply the fighting strength of the next generation.

It is difficult to believe the truth of these stories and yet in a monarchy, still adhering to the principles of Roman polity, which so exalt the state as an entity above and distinct from the individual, it is wholly logical that the sanctity of marriage should yield to the state's need of fighting men. In such a system of government it is the supreme duty of the people to make every sacrifice—even of love, honor and self-respect—for the greater glory of the Emperor.



WEST: "I THOUGHT YOU FELLOWS WANTED WAR!"

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

THE BELLS OF LONDON.

SHIPS go up and ships go down
Upon the way to London town.

"Bulls' eyes and targets,"
Say the bells of St. Marg'ret's.

"God help these isles!"
Say the bells of St. Giles.

"Eggshells and cartons,"
Say the bells of St. Martin's.

"Dreadnaughts are lemons,"
Say the bells of St. Clement's.

"Germany teeters,"
Say the bells of St. Peter's.

"Nothing to grapple,"
Say the bells of Whitechapel.

"Sunk at a tall rate,"
Say the bells at Aldgate.

"Shootin's and shellin's,"
Say the bells of St. Helen's.

"Vigilance yawns,"
Say the bells of St. John's.

"What are our plans?"
Say the bells of St. Ann's.

"Conference daily,"
Say the bells of Old Bailey.

"In schemes we are rich,"
Say the bells of Shoreditch.

"But our beef and our tea?"
Say the bells of Stepney.

"I'm sure I don't know,"
Says the great bell at Bow.

IN SIGNS.

Some card, that of the local consul for Columbia and Venezuela.

Hon. James The Gra'me Arbuckle
Knight of the Royal Order of Isabella the Catholic
Consul in St. Louis for Columbia and Venezuela

One more sign painter's attempt to get the apostrophe where it belongs—this one on Grand avenue:

For Hire
Autos'

"Are you Mrs. Smith?"

"I am."

"We are taking a poll to determine whether married women want their husbands exempted from military service."

"Are you asking all the other women?"

"O, yes."

"Very well. I'll make it unanimous."

Maybe the Kaiser is waiting to surrender to Col. Roosevelt. There is such a thing as being defeated and still not being misunderstood.

Judging by the record Miss Rankin is making, woman's place is the home and not the House.

UNCLE SAM TO MISSOURI: HEY! YOU GOTTA QUIT KICKIN' MY DOG AROUND!



ANSWERS TO QUERIES

CLEANSING.

JENNIE.—Raw white potato, cut in halves and peeled, cleans shoes. Some clean with peroxide.

CELESTA.—Benzine, ether, ammonia, potash, magnesia, chalk, yolk of egg—each is said to remove grease from silk.

T. L. P.—Soak ink-stained cotton goods over night in sweet milk and expose to the sun. If white, add salt and juice of lemon.

B. B. B.—With soft brush, paint old white kid slippers with silver paint or gold paint. (Martin bed that has lost its "gold" may be rebronzed. Furniture store will do it for you.)

DEVOTED.—Mrs. McKean says: A few drops of ammonia put into the water that is used for dampening the sponge used for applying cleaner to white shoes leaves them beautifully clean and removes any kind of stain.

DATES.

MRS. A. E. C.—Mother's day, second Sunday in May.

MILL CREEK.—River des Peres flood, Mar. 25, 1913. Mill Creek sewer overflow, Au. 14, 1916.

B.—Four Courts built, 1871. Old Kenrick Seminary, 1928 Cass, was purchased in June, 1892, by Bishop Kenrick. We haven't date of the erection of the building.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

IF YOU PLEASE.—Calomel, borax and flour mixed together—one part calomel to three parts borax, and three parts flour—will rid a house of roaches and waterbugs. Leave no food or drink for them anywhere.

MRS. K.—Mayonnaise bellevue for lettuce: 2 raw yolks of eggs, half cup olive oil, quarter cup vinegar, juice of 1 lemon, 1 tablespoon finely cut chives, 1 hard boiled egg finely minced, a little whipped cream, half teaspoon salt, 1 demi-spoon English mustard, half demi-spoon white pepper, a pinch of cayenne pepper. Put the raw yolks of eggs in a bowl; add 2 tablespoons oil; beat with a wire eggbeater about 1 minute; then add more oil and whip and then throw in the salt, mustard and pepper. On whipping again the mixture will at once thicken up, looking like softened butter; then add a spoonful of vinegar, then oil and lemon juice and so alternately until all is in. With this quantity of mayonnaise mix 1 tablespoon chopped pickled beets, 1 teaspoon finely cut chives, 1 hard boiled egg finely minced and a little whipped cream. (Whipped cream is optional.)—Chef Diets.

LAW POINTS.

CHAS.—It is not unlawful to make stickpins or charms out of cents if you do not plate them with gold or silver. Let gold and silver coins alone.

MRS. A. S.—Building Commissioner may pass the fence question; however to make certain advise you submit same for approval before going ahead.

T. M. M.—If he has made St. Louis his permanent place of residence, exemption laws of Missouri apply, which he can invoke. Suit for the debt must be brought in St. Louis and if judgment is obtained salary may be garnished; if a married man, 90 per cent of wages exempt, also household furniture about $500 in value.

R. P.—It is unlawful in Missouri for any person not a citizen of the United States, or who has not declared his intention to become one, or any corporation not created under the laws of some of the states, to hold or own real estate, except such as is acquired by inheritance or in collection of debts. All property held in violation of this law is forfeited to the State. St. Louis saloonkeeper must be resident and taxpayer, and a citizen of the United States.

MERRY.—The right of water may exist in either navigable or non-navigable streams. In navigable streams the public has a right to their use as a way and for fisheries, etc. In non-navigable streams the privileges of fishing, etc., belong to the owners of the adjoining soil. Owners on the banks of navigable streams own only to the edge of the stream, or, if it be the sea, to high-water mark. On non-navigable streams, the owners on each side own to the middle of the stream.

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. W. M.—Aviator Vernon Castle lives.

1861.—No premium on Confederate $10 bill of 1861.

SCHOOLBOY.—Phone paper dealers and junk dealers.

M.—It is said there are 500 Americans in Germany.

WARRINGTON.—Try writing Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.

READER.—Highest point in St. Louis, Arsenal, near Sublette—202.6 feet.

GRATEFUL.—Have a talk with the Librarian of the Public Library.

X. Y. Z.—We are not sure that marriage can be kept secret anywhere.

L. G. C.—See Mr. Quinn, Board of Education Building, about child working.

MARY.—Arriere pensee, afterthought. Remainder of your query unintelligible.

A. B.—Granite City Catholic Church, St. Joseph's; pastor, Rev. D. J. Ryan.

G. S.—Full free information will be given you at civil service office, 3d and Olive.

T. C.—O the chestnut! You may destroy as much of your own money as you please.

ANXIOUS.—There is no way to get final papers sooner than is indicated by the law.

GIRLS OF THE CLUB.—You might name your club in honor of Martha Washington.

W. M. (Correction).—In your enlistment answer of yesterday "civil authorities" was misprinted "court authorities."

H. E. KELLER.—If you desire a clerical position the examination is held the first Saturday in February each year, 3d and Olive.

A. K.—Mail clerk and carrier examination was held Mar. 17-19, Ap. 9-11 examined on March dates, 183. We haven't April record.

INQUIRER.—Belgians are Flemings and Walloons, with small numbers of French and Dutch. Try book stores and public library for books.

THELMA.—Refreshments at a bridal shower were English toasted muffins, orange marmalade, preserved ginger, delicious tea.

VOLUNTEER.—Though wearing glasses, you might be enlisted for the Hospital Corps. Surgical operation for rupture has made volunteers acceptable.

M. P. G.—Advantage of daylight plan is that it gives more daylight for business. (Sam Walter Foss wrote "The Calf-Path." See it at this office.)

PIERCE.—April 6 the President signed the resolution of Congress declaring a state of war with Germany. He issued a proclamation announcing war, and setting forth rules by which Germans in this country should guide their conduct.

CLAYTONITE.—In beetroot sugar manufacture the operations are washing, slicing, diffusing, saturating, sulphuring, evaporation, concentration, curing. See Sugar in encyclopedias in Public Library reference room. (Cook dasheens same as potatoes—bake, boil or fry.)

E. T. R.—We have no later figures than these: Casualty list published by the War Office show that during February the British army lost 417 officers killed, 831 wounded and 87 missing—a total of 1335. This brings the aggregate losses in officers since the beginning of the war to 16,265, of which 3,439 have been killed or died of wounds, 8,691 wounded and 3465 missing.

CURIOUS.—Sep. 29, 1915, Theo. N. Vail, president American Telephone and Telegraph Co., talked by wireless telephone from his office in New York City with Chief Engineer John J. Carty in San Francisco. The transmission of their conversation is approximately 3500 miles (breaking former records by 600 miles), from the United States naval radio tower at Arlington, Va., to the installation at the navy yard on Mare Island, San Francisco Bay.



Dorothy Dix says

If Husbands and Wives Only Spoke the Same Language, a Whole Lot of Marital Troubles Would Vanish.

TRAVELERS tell us of a tribe of natives in Central Africa in which the husband speaks one language and the wife another, and while the two understand each other they use different tongues.

Humph! There's nothing so strange in that. It's a world custom. All husbands and wives—all men and women—speak different languages, and perhaps the reason that the two sexes never really comprehend each other entirely is because they are forever shouting messages in a foreign tongue to each other across a sea of misunderstanding.

Take such a simple term as the word "nice," for instance. When a man says that a woman is "nice" he means it as a fulsome compliment, something that entitles the recipient thereof to such a swell head that she will have to use a shoe horn in putting on her hat.

WITH a woman the term "nice" is the most withering adjective in her whole vocabulary, and to feminine comprehension it brands the woman to whom it is applied almost with a badge of shame. A woman might sit up and vilify another woman for an hour and not express one tithe of the contempt for her that she can compress into the one center shot of calling her "nice."

A man says that the girl is "nice" that he means to marry. A woman would rather be called a horse thief or accused of murder or arson than to be told that she is "nice."

Again. A man thinks he is a good husband when he works from early morn until late at night to support his wife; when he gives her a good home and pretty clothes, and keeps her sheltered from all the possible hardships of life.

He voluntarily takes the hot end of things. He gets the poorest clothes, the darkest room in the house, the smallest closet, the stingiest piece of meat at the table, and because he accepts all these hardships without complaint for the sake of his wife's comfort, he swells out his chest when he is alone and says to himself that anybody is hunting for a good husband he knows an address that he could give them.

When a woman says that a man is a "good husband" she nonchalantly passes over all that he does for his wife and concentrates her attention on what he says. Her idea of a good husband is a man who never ceases making passionate love to his wife, who stells her every day that she is the most beautiful creature that he has ever seen; who takes 10 minutes to bid her farewell in the morning when he is starting to work, and who breaks the speed law rushing back to her at evening.

In a word, what a man means by a "good husband" is a work horse. What a woman means by a good husband is a door mat, and perhaps it is because they speak a different language and do not understand each other that they so seldom reach an agreement when discussing the vital topic of what the ideal life partner should be.

It is the same way about a "good wife." By a good wife a man means a wife who is good-natured and cheerful, and who takes the ups and downs of married life with philosophy and without grumbling. His idea of a good wife is a woman who keeps a clean house and sets a good table, and, more especially, a woman who doesn't fret and worry him about trifles; who doesn't hound him with jealous suspicions, nor curtail his personal liberty so that he has to perjure his immortal soul every time he takes a drink or plays a game of poker.

A woman's idea of a good wife is entirely a matter of emdtions. If a woman is satisfied in her own heart that she loves her husband with a deathless love she doesn't consider that she's got to do anything for him. She may set him down to a dinner that would kill an ostrich to eat, but if she had been thinking about him while she burnt the roast and boiled the potatoes to rags, she is satisfied that she has done all that anybody could expect of her.

When a man says a woman is a good wife he means that she leaves her husband judiciously alone at times and doesn't attempt to henpeck him, but when a woman says a woman is a good wife she means that she has got a man tied to her apron strings, and that she tyrannizes over him, for when a woman ceases from troubling and gives her husband the rest he craves, it is because she no longer loves him and doesn't care what he does.

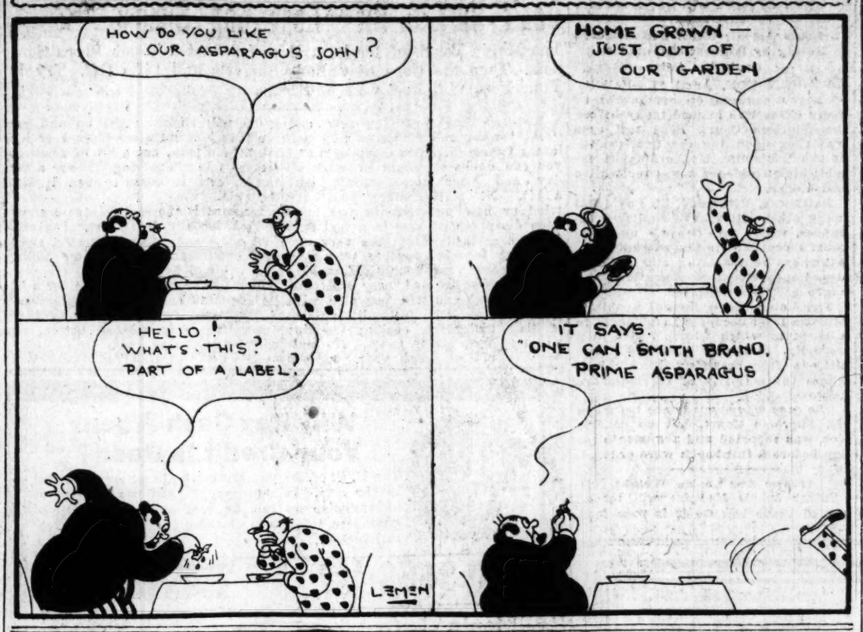
Without doubt, the reason that the majority of married couples get along so badly together is because they do not understand each other. They speak foreign tongues, and perhaps nothing would do more to promote matrimonial harmony than for some of our co-educational institutions of learning to establish a chair of domestic languages in which boys and girls could be taught to speak the same speech.

Dorothy Dix

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By J. R. Lemen



Preparedness in the Household

THE term "preparedness" has gathered about it so much that is foreign to the practical every-day meaning of the word that, to apply it to anything connected with the home, at present, brings with it a vague, indefinable apprehension; but there is a construction of that mooted term to which every housewife may well give thought.

Such a construction, women everywhere are seeing, does apply at all times to the home management. This meaning includes such a study of every detail of household management that women shall be prepared to meet successfully the many problems which constantly come up for settlement in their business of making a home. To do this intelligently, women need to understand the values of the commodities they must deal with, the qualities which make for durability and serviceability. Such a knowledge requires thought and study. One of the most promising signs of better homes is seen in the recognition which this fact is receiving from women everywhere.

Such apprehension of the needs of the hour has been shown by one club in Chicago, which has already done much toward helping forward the movement for better managed households. The latest step in this direction is the formation of a Home Preparedness Club. "Its purpose," said Miss Lilian Kemp, head of the School of Domestic Science and Art, where this latest experiment is being tried out, "is to offer a course in food values and food buying and substitution, and a parallel course in the simple facts about clothes and the materials used in the household.

"We do not intend to make it technical, in either case. But there are certain things about the making of menus, the values of different kinds of food, and the buying of these foods, which, when once learned, will make it possible for women to manage their households far more successfully than they do at present.

"To do this, we are giving these courses, under the instruction of some of the best experts we can find. We want women to know how to buy, what to buy, and when to buy, to the best possible advantage. This work should be done in every community.

"Women will find, as we have found, that merchants are glad to give housewives the information they need. This is especially true with manufacturers of household materials and fabrics of all kinds.

"Once let them realize that women want better goods and better foods, and are determined to know about them, we have found them eager to co-operate with us in giving that knowledge."

"Merchants tell me," said Mrs. Mabel Durrell Bradley, instructor in millinery and dressmaking in the School of Domestic Science and Art, "that, just as soon as women desire serviceable materials, they can get them. The merchants will not buy pure silks, all-wool cloth and cottons with fast colors, because women do not seem to care about their wearing quality, so long as they can keep up with the changing styles. 'What you have to do,' said a silk manufacturer to me, 'is to educate the women to want good silks; then we will furnish them.'

"This can best be done through the schools and clubs. Already some of the schools are introducing courses in the study of fabrics, and this should be done in all the public schools. Women can never buy intelligently until they know something about the manufacture and properties of the different fabrics. Until that time, a few facts which every woman may learn about fabrics will help her in her buying.

"Anyone who gives thought to it knows that it is easier at present to get silks than it is to get woolen garments. The great wool-growing countries of the world today are not raising wool to export. And it is the same with laces and linen goods, so silk is really the economical fabric to buy.

"Several facts, however, about silks the housewife should know. The cheap silks which crack so easily are weighted with metallic stuffs which are taken up in the dye, and these rot the silk. The presence of these minerals in silk in excess forces the merchant to sell the goods after a certain time.

"So we have the great 'bargain sales of silk.' If every woman would take a sample home first, and put it through a simple test, she would not so often get hold of weighted silk, and find her dress rotting out during its first season. If the silk is weighted, when you apply a match to the sample it will burn slowly. If pure silk, it will burn into a gummy ball and will smell like hair burning. The presence of metals causes the slow ignition. To test for wool, ravel the edge and apply the fire test. The wool burns slowly, and the cotton like wood.

"The adulteration of wool is even worse than that of silk. The manufacturers put into it what is known as 'shoddy.' It is a preparation of old woolen garments and other rags, chopped up and treated with certain chemicals, which cause the goods to shrink and quickly to rot. That is what nearly all the cheap woolen garments are mixed with.

"The test for linen is also simple. Cotton thread breaks easily, with a fuzzy end; linen thread breaks with difficulty, leaving a pointed end. There is another test still which may be applied. Boil a small piece of the goods in caustic potash. The linen turns brown, and the cotton remains white. When buying table linen, one should avoid buying too stiff fabrics. This sizing, or starch, is often used to cover up defects in the weave. With cotton the weave and the dye are the principal things to be considered. If you want material to wear it must be mediumly fine. I have found that washing colored fabrics in a strong solution of salt water and drying before washing with soap, helps to prevent fading.

"Under this same subject of prepared ness, or what every woman ought to know, comes the knowledge of how different fabrics react under alkalies or soaps, the washing of woolens and silks, and the proper treatment of linens. It is too large a subject to handle in such a talk, but every woman may get valuable information from her State university and from the National Bureau of Home Economics, in the Department of Agriculture at Washington, about fabrics of all kinds, and almost any of the many subjects about household management upon which she may need light. In fact, so varied are the resources of information open to the woman who is determined to carry on her business of home making intelligently, that there really is little excuse for unpractical household management."

Baked Fruit Pudding

GREASE a pie dish, cover the bottom with apples or plums, sprinkle over a little sugar, and pour in ½ cup of water. Fill the dish with breadcrumbs, beat up 1 egg, with 1 pint of milk, add sugar to taste, pour the custard over the breadcrumbs and bake for ¾ of an hour.

Foolishment.

HIS drinking cup cracked, but McCue
Was wise and he knew what to do.
'Twas quickly repaired,
McCue then declared:
"It's stuck, for the drinks, and with glue."

History of the City of Rheims

IN the midst of the plain between the Aisne and the Marne, some 98 miles east-northeast of Paris, as the guide-books have it, lies the city of Rheims. Those who knew it in the days before the war would hardly recognize in the ruined city of today the famous old town, which centuries of history have endeared to the heart of the Frenchman. But "Resurgam" is written over Rheims just as surely as it is written over every other blackened ruin in Northern France.

Rheims has a long history. Many years before the coming of the Roman, in the century before the Christian era, the town known to the Romans by the name of Durocortum was a place of importance. It was, in fact, the capital city of the Remi, the people who made voluntary submission to Rome, and earned the special favor of their conquerors by their fidelity throughout the many Gallic insurrections which marked the early days of the Roman occupation.

During the centuries which followed, Rheims, in common with the rest of the world, enjoyed the benefits of the pax Romana; but, with the decay of the empire and the steady withdrawal of the Roman legions, its troubles began.

The Consul Jovinus, an influential supporter of the new faith established by Constantine, repulsed the barbarians who invaded Champagne in 336; but, some 20 years later, the Vandals captured the town, and Attila, the Hun, afterwards put it to fire and sword. It was rebuilt, of course, for the burnings of cities in those days were regarded as almost necessary incidents in their histories, and in 496 Clovis, some time after his great victory at Soissons, was baptized at Rheims.

Soon afterwards the wonderful legend of the sacred phial of oil, which was believed to have been brought by a dove from heaven for the baptism of Clovis, began to find acceptance.

The phial was preserved in the Abbey of St. Remi, and the oil from it came to be used for the consecration at Rheims of the Kings of France. It was here, with oil from the sacred phial, that Joan of Arc caused Charles VII to be consecrated, in 1429.

By the Tenth Century, Rheims had become a center of intellectual culture. The famous Archbishop Adalberon, aided by the monk Gerbert, founded at Rheims schools where "the liberal arts" were taught, and to the schools of Rheims the poor clerk from far and near found his way as surely as to any and every seat of learning, anywhere, which offered him food for thought.

So, as a place of learning, as the seat of the premier Archbishop of France, and as the holy place of the French monarchy, Rheims waxed in importance. Its progress, however, was anything but peaceful.

In the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries the possession of the city was long in dispute between the French and the English, and in the days of the "Catholic League," during the closing years of the sixteenth century, Rheims experienced all the vicissitudes of the struggle between the league and Henry of Navarre. It sided with the league, but submitted finally to Henry, after the Battle of Ivry, in 1585.

During the foreign invasions of 1814, Rheims was taken and retaken; whilst in 1870-1, it was made, by the Germans, the seat of a Governor-General, and "impoverished by heavy requisitions."

In the Rheims of today, in spite of all that the German guns have done, the outstanding feature is the great cathedral. Before the war, it stood easily head and shoulders above the rest of the town, and its two great towers, albeit scarred and shot-ridden, still rear themselves 267 feet above the street below. As for the remainder of the old landmarks, the Mars Gate, the archiepiscopal palace, the celebrated Church of St. Remi, and many others, there is scant record as to how they have fared.

Prunettes.

THESE are delicious cakes, made of raised dough. Dissolve 1 cake of yeast in ½ cup of lukewarm milk, with 1 teaspoon of sugar, and let it rise. Rub together 5 ounces of butter and ½ cup of sugar. Add to this 1 pound of flour, 1 egg, well beaten, ½ teaspoon of salt and flavoring to taste. When the yeast has risen sufficiently, add to the flour and other ingredients, mixing it in gradually. Then add ½ cup of warm milk and beat until dough blubbers.

Let it stand in a warm place until it rises to double the original quantity. Knead it down then and set it away to rise again, always in a warm place, of course. Next roll it out and cut in oblong pieces, about 5 inches long and 4 inches wide. In the center of each piece place 1 tablespoon of mashed stewed prunes and fold the dough about it in dumpling style. Place these "prunettes" in a buttered pan and set aside in a warm place to rise for ½ an hour, then bake in a moderate oven.

No German, if identified, will hereafter be admitted to the Tuskeegee Institute, even as a student.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the Othine Prescription.

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee. —ADV.

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Potato Salad (German style), lb	15c
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Combination Salad, pint	15c
Cold Slaw, lb	15c
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Deviled Crabs, 3 for	25c
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CHOCOLATE DAINTIES; regular 25c value, lb	15c
COCOANUT DELIGHTS; regular 25c value, lb	15c
LEMON WAFERS, lb	15c

Brick Cheese, lb	26c
Neufchatel Cheese, each	4c
Hand Cheese, 2 for	5c
Country Roll (Oleo), lb	25c

Fresh Spareribs, lb	15½c
Fresh Liver, lb	11c
Fresh Hams, lb	24c
Fresh Side Meat, lb	18c
Veal Cutlets, lb	28c
Veal Rib Chops, lb	17½c
Veal Loin Steaks, lb	22c
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Veal Shoulder, lb	16c
Veal Breasts, lb	19c
Rolled Roast, lb	22c
Sausage Meats, lb	15c
Hamburger Steak, lb	17c
Sugar-Cured Bacon, ½ or whole, lb	30c
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World Wearing Wigs Made of Chinese Queues

CHINA is the principal source today of human hair. Many fine ladies and bewigged gentlemen of all lands are wearing hair that once adorned a Chinese head.

On Nov. 20, 1911, after the downfall of the Manchu dynasty, a resolution was adopted in favor of the abolition of the queue. This was followed by the wholesale cutting of queues. In many parts of south and middle China this appendage has practically disappeared, but the bulk of the populace in North China still wear it, and it is probable that many million queues will continue to be worn in China for an indefinite period.

Exports from China of human hair from 1910 to 1915 were as follows: 1910, 3,526,933 pounds; 1911, 2,583,867 pounds; 1912, 3,259,600 pounds; 1913, 3,667,867 pounds; 1913, 3,667,867 pounds; 1914, 1,926,800 pounds; 1915, 1,919,200 pounds.

Estimating the weight of a Chinaman's queue to be 3 ounces (the average of 500 weighed queues), the number required to make the above shipments for six years would be more than 90,000,000, which is approximately half of the estimated male population of China.

In the last year or two the queues of men have not been so readily obtainable, and the hair dealers are becoming more and more dependent upon the combings of women. Men who have dispensed with the queue in a good many instances allow their hair to grow to a length of eight inches or more, and such lengths when cut are saved by the barber and sold to the small trader in hair. These small dealers make regular calls at barber shops and canvass the homes of the Chinese, collecting cuttings and combings and an occasional queue, all of which find their way to the central markets, where they are taken in hand by the wholesale dealers. Many poor women sacrifice their hair in times of stress, and large numbers of them during periods of flood or famine. The United States is the largest buyer of Chinese hair.

The hair of certain animals, such as the yak, goat and others, is mixed by the manufacturer with human hair to a certain extent. The hair of a white yak's tail is particularly valuable, not only because of its length, but also because of its whiteness, which, mixed with other shades, produces the desired silvery effect.

Popular Superstitions

SOME superstitions about finding the first flower of the season:

If found on Monday good luck all the year. If found on Tuesday large undertakings will be successful. If found on Wednesday a wedding in the family. If found on Thursday hard work with little profit. If found on Friday unexpected wealth. If found on Saturday misfortunes. If found on Sunday best luck of all.

If someone gives you a yellow flower you are going to have money. If someone gives you a purple flower you are going to have tears and trouble. To hand a flower reversely to anyone is to bring bad luck.

In England to offer snowdrops to a person of the opposite sex is supposed to imply a wish for the death of the recipient. It is also considered unlucky to carry the first spray into the house.

If anyone asks for the flowers pinned on a woman's dress and she should refuse she will have immediate bad luck.

Along comes Dr. Carrel to express the belief the war will last 50 years.

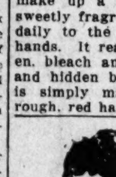
JUICE OF LEMONS! HOW TO MAKE SKIN CLEAR, SOFT, WHITE

Girls! Prepare this lotion and massage face, neck, arms and hands. It's cheap!

By all means, girls, prepare this lemon lotion to keep your skin flexible and young looking. You will soon realize that true loveliness does not mean the powdery-look or waxen colorlessness of some hot-house flower, but is typified by the velvety softnes of your skin, your peach-like complexion and rosy-white hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin bleach, skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. It really will bleach and remove such blemishes as pimples, freckles and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smoothener and beautifier which absorbs readily and is not sticky or greasy.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lotion and apply it daily to the face, neck, arms and hands. It really does soften, freshen, bleach and bring out the roses and hidden beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.—ADV.



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St. Louis Master Mechanic Gains Five Pounds After Taking Master Medicine Tanlac.

Stomach and kidney trouble were the twin bugaboos for 20 years of George J. Wirth, 1907 Lynch street, St. Louis, master mechanic for the Otto Signal Co., 3963 Olive street. How Mr. Wirth gained the relief he had long craved by the use of Tanlac, the Master Medicine, was told by him on April 21, as follows:

"I suffered with indigestion and stomach trouble twenty years. Several times I was in such bad shape that I was unable to work and compelled to give up my position. Gas formed in my stomach after eating, causing the most severe pains. I had terrific headaches frequently. My kidneys were in a weakened condition, causing pains in my back. Usually I had to get up four times during the night.

"I have taken four bottles of Tanlac. After finishing the first bottle I noticed a marked improvement, and have since continued taking the medicine regularly, my condition getting better each day until now I feel like an entirely different man. The stomach trouble has been greatly relieved, the formation of gas and accompanying pains being a thing of the past. The kidney trouble also has been relieved. My appetite is ravenous and I digest what I eat, too. I no longer have to get up at night on account of my kidneys. I have gained five pounds in four weeks."

Tanlac, the Master Medicine referred to by Mr. Wirth, is especially beneficial for catarrhal affections of the stomach, liver, kidneys and head, nervousness, sleeplessness, loss of appetite, depression of spirits and the like. It is the tonic extraordinary and system purifier without a peer. Its use as a Spring tonic has been found most efficacious by thousands.

Tanlac is now being introduced and explained by an expert to the public of St. Louis at the Seventh and St. Charles streets drug store of the Johnson-Enderle-Pauley Co., where large crowds are calling daily. Tanlac also may be obtained at the eight other stores of this firm; the Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Sixth and Washington; Keiffer Drug Co., Broadway and Franklin; Medler's five drug stores; Victor Drug Co., and L. O. Goedde's drug stores, Wellston. Tanlac also is explained by experts in East St. Louis at Merker's drug store; Belleville, Reis' drug store, and Alton at the Luly Drug Co., Wyss Drug Co., and Barth's pharmacy.—ADVERTISEMENT.



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SOCIETY

MR. AND MRS. EUGENE H. ANGERT will give a garden tea Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at their place on the Clayton and Kent roads. The Angerts have one of the finest tulip gardens in the county and the weather permitting, tea will be served in the pergola. Mrs. Samuel Plant, Mrs. Edwin T. Stanard and Miss Yvonne Merrill will serve. About 250 guests have been invited.

The St. Louis Wellesley Club has been entertaining Miss Beulah Hubbard of the Chicago Puppet show company and Miss Evelyn Gallaway of the Seven Chances company, both playing in St. Louis. Wednesday Mrs. Frederick W. Lehmann gave a theater party when the guests were Miss Eunice Smith of Alton, Mrs. George E. Norton, Mrs. Benjamin E. Bradley, Miss Bertha Doane, Miss Elizabeth Hart, Mrs. S. K. White, Mrs. Abraham Friedman and Miss Hubbard. Last evening Mrs. White gave a dinner for the visitors at her home, 74 Vandeventer place. In the afternoon there was a tea given by Mrs. Norton at her home at 6340 Ellenwood avenue, when the guests were girls from the preparatory schools who intend going to college.

The first performance of the puppets was given last evening at the Central Library, the second this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Community School, and tomorrow there will be two performances, "Alice in Wonderland" at 2:30 o'clock, and "A Midsummer Night's Dream" in the evening at the Wednesday Club.

The production was brought here by the Drama League. It is the Chicago Little Theater Puppet Company and comprises 10 persons.

Lieut. Webb Trammel of the U. U. S. Oklahoma is here on leave of absence to visit his sisters, Mrs. L. O. Whitnel of Signal Hill and Miss Cynthia Trammel, who is a teacher in the Webster School of East St. Louis.

The marriage of Miss Marie Jaegermann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Jaegermann of 5815 Easton avenue, to Assistant Paymaster Clarence Sieling of the Missouri Naval Reserve, took place last evening at 8 o'clock, in the Central Presbyterian Church, the Rev. J. Layton Mauze officiating. The wedding, like several others, had been planned for June, but it was advanced when mobilization orders were received by the reserves. Ensign O. T. Hollenberg of the same corps was best man. Mr. Sieling and his bride have gone to Chicago, where the Reserves are in camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren V. Eaton of 5886 Page boulevard are spending about 10 days at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

The Ladies of St. Mary's Parish will give a euchre party on the afternoon of April 29, at 3 o'clock.

The betrothal of Miss Edna Hageman of 3840 Ashland avenue to Lieut. Richard Mars Wightman was made known to their friends on Wednesday evening. Mr. Wightman is a recent graduate of the United States Military Academy, West Point, N. Y. The date of their marriage has not yet been set. Miss Hageman is the daughter of L. J. Hageman.

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GIRL UNHURT BY LONG FALL

Plunge From Third Floor Broken by Catching at Dangling Rope.

CHICAGO, April 27.—Lena Gallas, 3½ years old, who fell from the third floor of her home on the south side yesterday and was picked up from the ground by the police, will be discharged from the hospital today, physicians having declared her unhurt.

In falling, the girl three times caught at a rope hanging from the window, and broke her fall to such an extent that she escaped without suffering even a bruise.

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Puppet Show at Wednesday Club.

The Chicago Little Theater Puppet company will give performances at the Wednesday Club tomorrow afternoon and night, the afternoon bill being "Alice in Wonderland" and the night bill "Midsummer Night's Dream." A large gathering of children saw the "Alice in Wonderland" puppet show at the Central Library last night, and the performance was repeated this afternoon at the Community School.

NEGRO SEGREGATION LAW TEST CASE BEFORE SUPREME COURT

St. Louis Among Cities Concerned in Ruling by Highest Tribunal on Louisville Suit.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—Validity of negro segregation ordinances in many cities was argued today before the Supreme Court. The test case was that upon the constitutionality of the Louisville, Ky., ordinance establishing residence zones for whites and blacks.

Baltimore, Richmond, St. Louis and many other cities have similar ordinances, whose fate depends upon the court's decision in the present case. Attorneys representing city authorities, improvement organizations and negro societies appeared.

The Louisville ordinance prohibits negroes from occupying residences in a block in which whites reside in a majority, and also prohibits white citizens from residing in a block where the majority of residents are negroes.

The case was argued once before in the Supreme Court, but no conclusion was reported and arguments today before a full bench were ordered.

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Ar. St. Louis	12:01 p. m.	10:05 p. m.	8:35 p. m.
Lv. St. Louis	7:05 a. m.		2:00 p. m.
Ar. De Soto	9:10 a. m.		4:00 p. m.
Lv. De Soto	6:40 p. m.		6:45 p. m.
Ar. St. Louis	9:10 p. m.		9:10 p. m.

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CARUTHERSVILLE FOR DRAFT

Resolution Adopted at Loyalty Parade and Demonstration.

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., April 27.—A loyalty parade and demonstration with a flag raising was held here Wednesday afternoon. More than 8000 people from Pemiscot, New Madrid and Duncan Counties attended the celebration.

About 800 school children took part in the parade, dressed in different military costumes. Fifty floats decorated with patriotic signs and about 250 automobiles took part in the parade. After the demonstration a resolution was passed unanimously approving selective conscription. Telegrams were sent to Senators Stone and Reed and Congressmen Joseph J. Russell urging them to support the measure.

Daughters to Contest Florist's Will.

Four daughters of Charles Holzborn, a florist, who died March 17 and left his $25,000 estate to his wife, Louise Holzborn of 4056 Hartford street, yesterday filed suit to contest his will. They allege that Mrs. Holzborn, who is their stepmother, influenced her husband in the making of the will. The plaintiffs are Mrs. Minnie Zimmermann, Mrs. M. Bleeck, Mrs. Florence Meinert and Mamie Holzborn. Each was left $5.

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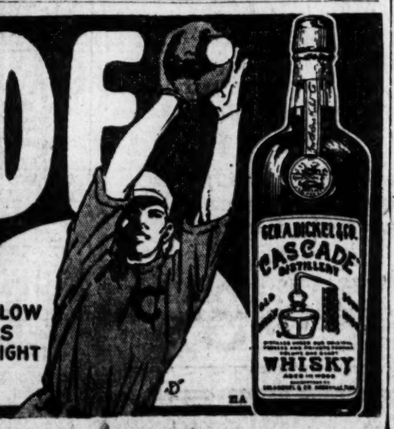
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HOUSE DEBATES WAR ARMY BILL AT NIGHT SESSION

Many Speeches Are Made for and Against Selective Conscription.

WASHINGTON, April 27. — Many speeches were made in Congress yesterday on the administration army war bill, the Senate discussing it throughout the day and the House continuing its session until 2:30 this morning.

Representative Graham of Pennsylvania sharply criticised Speaker Clark for saying that Missourians saw little difference between the terms conscript and convict.

"Shame on the man who would use such language," he said. "God knows that many a man who is just as brave as any of us has not volunteered."

Representative McCormick of Illinois, supporting the draft, declared members should pay no attention to whispers on the floor as to probable effect of their votes on the political future.

"Of what consequence is the existence of any of us," he said, "when the life of soldiers, the present security of the republic, and its future peace may hang on our vote."

In the House the administration forces are confident the volunteer advocates will be routed by a majority of between 40 and 50. With the volunteer substitute out of the way, the majority for the bill is expected to be overwhelming.

Former Speaker Cannon will be among those talking five minutes for the volunteer system. Republican Leader Mann, who favors conscription, probably will not speak, nor will Democratic Leader Kitchin, who is understood to oppose the draft.

Stone Speaks for Bill.

Senators Hale, Beckman, Myers and Stone supported the administration bill yesterday and Senator Sherman opposed it. Senator Stone, who concluded the day's debate in the Senate, said that, although he opposed the declaration of war, he would vote with the President for conscription. He said he believed, however, the bill should be changed to make the ages of those subject to draft 21 to 40 instead of 19 to 26 and that it should contain a provision that the President, when peace is declared, must give up his authority to raise an army under it.

"We are needed on the battle line of Europe," the Missouri Senator continued. "There must be no halting at home. The President thinks the time is past for experiment. I agree with him. It is imperative that we act at once and get ready with the least possible delay. I am for that plan which will most certainly, speedily and efficiently meet the demands of the hour. Pass this bill and he will forthwith enter upon a plan that will not be experimental; its success is assured from the beginning."

"At War With German People."

Senator Myers predicted that it might be necessary for the United States to recruit 5,000,000 men before victory is won.

"War on paper and of dollars only would be a disgrace and make America a byword and reproach through history," he said. "I believe the Kaiser would rather blow the world into smithereens than see defeat. I do not draw a line between the German Government and German people. We are at war with the German people who largely share the Kaiser's determination to win the war at all costs."

Representative Madden of Illinois announced that he and Senator New of Indiana would offer amendments to the army bill to provide, notwithstanding the exemptions it enumerates, "each state shall be required to supply its quota in the proportion that its population bears to the total population of the country."

JUNIOR CITIZENS TO DRILL

First Military Training Will Be on May 6.

The Junior Citizens, at a meeting in the old Art Museum at Nineteenth and Locust streets last night, voted to take drills in military training under H. C. Simmons, Scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts. The members of the organization will meet Simmons at the Jefferson Memorial May 6 for their first drill.

Simmons, in a speech to the members, suggested that all vacant lots in St. Louis should be planted to gardens, and urged the Junior Citizens to do their share, as the Boy Scouts are doing.

Get Capable Help for That Spring Cleaning Through Post-Dispatch Wants.

Last week the Post-Dispatch printed 16,356 Real Estate and Want Ads, 129 MORE than the FOUR other St. Louis newspapers combined!

Arkansas Bankers for Conscription.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 27.—The Arkansas Bankers' Association, at the conclusion of their convention yesterday, adopted a resolution instructing the organization's officers to telegraph Arkansas Representatives in Congress to support President Wilson's selective draft legislation. Virgil C. Pettie, Jonesboro, was elected president.

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Sugar Exchange Founder Dies.

NEW ORLEANS, April 27.—Raymond B. Scudder, one of the founders of the New Orleans Sugar Exchange and president of a local sugar and molasses company, died here yesterday. He was 68 years old and a native of Long Island, N. Y.

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NEW POTATOES Nice size, sound, per lb. 9c | RADISHES Fresh, tender, bunches..... 3 for 10c | CUCUMBERS Good size, each..... 6c

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Mixed Vegetables For making a rich delicious soup; No. 2 cans 12c | Sweet Potatoes Dry packed, economical; No. 3 cans... 15c | Beets Country Club, small whole strawberry Beets; No. 2 can 15c

TOMATOES Solid packed, rich, red, ripe; No. 2 cans..... 14c | Tomato Pulp, for soup or spaghetti; No. 1 tin.... 8c | **PEAS** Good quality, Early June, sweet; No. 2 cans..... 12c | Country Club small, sifted; No. 2 cans..... 14c | Country Club, extra tiny, sifted; No. 2 cans..... 17c

ASPARAGUS Clifton, medium green spears, nice quality, tall round can; per can..... 13c | Country Club, white spears, top quality; No. 2½ sq. tins. 25c | SAUERKRAUT Good quality; long thin cut; No. 2 cans. 15c | MUSCAT GRAPES Calif. growers, 20 degree syrup; No. 2½ cans..... 15c

PEACHES Harvard, yellow free, in good syrup; No. 2½ cans... 17c | Holsum, delicious halves, in heavy syrup; No. 2½ cans..... 20c | Pie Peaches; big cans for..... 10c | Apricots Harvard, in good syrup; No. 2½ cans 20c | CHERRIES Panther, Royal Anne, white; No. 1 tall can. 15c

HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE A delicious dessert at a moment's notice. Avondale, sliced in good syrup; No. 2 can.... 18c | Avondale, sliced; No. 2½ cans... 22c | COUNTRY CLUB CHERRIES Maraschino flavor; 3 oz. bottle 9c

Potted Meat Ham flavor, per tin 4c

Chipped Beef Eagle, 2½-oz. tumb. 12c

Pickles Sours, doz. 10c | Sweet, mixed, pint 12c

Pimentos Add zest and flavor to salads, ½ tin... 12c

Chile Sauce Snider's, snappy. Hot. 23c

CATSUP C. C., absolutely pure; 11-oz. bot... 14c

MUSTARD Quart jar 15c

Cider Vinegar C. C., quart bot. 10c

A. & H. SODA Small package 4c | Pound package 7c

Corn Starch Argo, pound package 5c

Baking Powder; Forest Park; a pure phosphate powder, lb.. 19c

Jello Asst. flavors; a big value... 3 pkgs. 25c

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Krumbles Delicious wheat food 3 pkg., 25c

Grape-Nuts Highly nutritive; pkg. 12½c

Corn Flakes Quaker; crisp, toasted 2 pkgs. 15c

Post Toasties (new) 3 pkgs., 25c

Butter Wheat; wheat flake prepared with butter and salt 9c

Whole Wheat Biscuits Fine with berries; pkg... 10c

Country Club BREAKFAST FOOD; per package..... 10c

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Spice Jumbles, Graham Wafers, Fig Bars, Real values; per pound. 12c | COCOA TAFFY MACAROON SNAPS BRAN COOKIES VANILLA WAFERS; lb. 13c

Takhoma Biscuits Fresh, crisp; 2 pkgs 11c | Marshmallow COCOA CREAMS A dainty confection; per lb..... 15c

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Postum Small tin.... 14c Large tin.... 24c | Instant Postum Small tin.... 25c Large tin.... 45c

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Member of British Mission Addresses American Newspaper Publishers.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association will close today. At their annual dinner last night the editors and publishers listened to an address by Major-General G. T. M. Bridges of the British War Commission, who fought at the Marne under Joffre and will return to the front in France at the end of his mission here.

Gen. Bridges expressed the hope that American troops soon would be fighting beside their allies in Europe. The greatest asset of the allies in the war, he said, is the fact that they are fighting for ideals. The aid of the United States was doubly welcome because it will strike for the cause of liberty.

N. W. Rowell a member of the Ontario Legislature who fought with the Canadian contingent, declared that in the battle of the Marne Joffre had broken the tradition of German military supremacy and thereby saved civilization.

A plea for conscription and for the passage of the army bill was made by James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany. Gerard arraigned Speaker Champ Clark for his advocacy of the volunteer system and expressed thanks that "some beneficent providence which keeps the American people from putting forward their near statesmen," intervened in 1912 to prevent Clark from getting the Democratic nomination for President. "I was one of the financial supporters of Mr. Clark's campaign," said Gerard, "and in the light of events I am not sorry that he was beaten."

Gen. Bridges' Address.

"You will not expect me to make a speech or to talk at any length," said Gen. Bridges. "Talking is not encouraged in my profession, but I wish to let you gentlemen know how these demonstrations of welcome have given us both sympathy and encouragement. They have made it abundantly clear that having made common cause with the allies, the United States is determined to insure, by every means in her power, that the ideals of democracy, freedom and humanity, which our course represents, shall be upheld.

"The greatest asset of the allies in this war is that they are fighting for these ideals. Had it not been so we could not have continued the struggle. It was plain to us from the beginning when, in 1914, Austria, by wantonly attacking little Servia, and Germany by the invasion and devastation of Belgium, plunged half the world into war, it became our clear duty to go in and help smash the bully.

"The invasion of Belgium, a practically defenseless country, was accompanied, as I well know, by an orgy of brutality—not casual outbreaks of undisciplined soldiery, for the German army of 1914 was the highest disciplined force the world has ever seen—but a policy of organized terrorism, murder and rape, arson and pillage, accompanied by the wanton destruction of priceless monuments of the past, all sanctioned and ordered by the highest authorities.

"The military policy of Germany was that of the Huns of Attila, and may be summed up thus: 'I am much stronger and better prepared than you; therefore, I am going to murder you and your family and loot your house.'

Cause of Civilization.

"We came into the war in the cause of civilisation to make it clear to the world that might was not right, and to make it impossible for such things ever to happen again. We do not fight for territory, indemnities or national aggrandizement, but for an ideal—the freedom of mankind and the right to live of small nations—and those who fight for ideals go on striving until they attain them or perish in the attempt.

"The chief reason that the allies so heartily welcome your great country into the arena of war is that you see things with our eyes, and following up the inestimable services you have rendered us in the past, you are determined to mobilize your vast resources and to strike for the cause of liberty and to make the world a decent and a fit place to live in.

"People out here have expressed surprise that our friendship with the French has stood the test of nearly three years of war, but this is not surprising, for the war is not a war of races, but a war of ideas, and we are fighting together against an armed doctrine. We love the French soldiers and I think the affection is mutual—widely different as we are in characteristics.

"Take an attack—the Frenchman goes forward over the parapet shouting 'Vive La France' or other patriotic crises. The British soldiers' watchword is, as he fixes his bayonet and goes forward, 'This way to the early door, 6 pence extra.'

"A French ship will sink with the band playing the Marseillaise, while on a British ship, in a similar plight, the men will line up on deck and go to their death singing 'Tipperary, say good-by to Leicester Square.'

Understand Each Other.

"But these men understand each other. They have been forged alike in the fire and hammered on the anvil of war, and they have the courage and fortitude which makes them the salt of the earth. You cannot beat such men, or if you did they would never know it."

Major-General Leonard Wood, who spoke briefly, said he hoped sooner or later to be serving with Gen. Bridges on the French front.

Other speakers were N. W. Rowell, a member of the Ontario Legislature; Irvin Cobb and William Hard. Job E. Hedges was the toastmaster.

Appeal by Gerard.

Gerard made an impassioned appeal for universal military service. It is the only thing which can save the nation from Prussian militarism, he declared. He called upon every publisher present to send a telegram to his paper directing that it come out flatly for the administration bill and support it by every means in his power. By so doing, he said, "you gentlemen will break a lance for the cause of freedom. We can't go into this war with velvet gloves. We have got to have this bill."

Germany is from 100 to 200 years behind the times in liberty and democracy, Gerard asserted. "There may be riots there," he said, "but there will be no revolution."

Referring to Germany's military ambitions before the war, Gerard said Admiral Von Tirpitz had openly advocated the seizure of the coast of Flanders as a base for operations against England and America. The Von Tirpitz party now is in the ascendency, he said. Germans of all types, Gerard explained, advocated bringing England to her knees, seizing her navy and using British warships to operate against the United States, thereby forcing this country to pay all the expenses of the conflict.

He placed emphasis on the Russian situation, and asserted that if Russia withdraws from the war, or if it acts ineffectively, the United States will be brought face to face with German autocracy.

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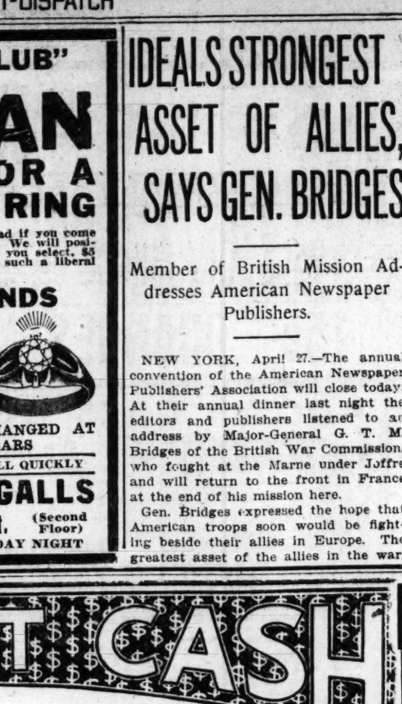
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MANAGER HAS HARD TASK

St. Louis Fans Think Huggins' Youngsters Will Beat Out Chicagoans.

CARDINALS' GAME OFF.

It was announced at noon today that the opening game of the Cardinal-Cub series, scheduled for this afternoon, had been postponed because of rain and cold weather.

By W. J. O'Connor.

Now comes Fred Mitchell, who was George Stallings' "right eye" before he was demoted to the rank of manager in Chicago, with a funny collection of cuckoos, commonly called Cubs, to investigate the Cardinal uprising. He will tarry five days.

Mitchell has on tour a rare collection of Cubs and several old bruins, to the number of 27. Vic Saier is at home with a broken leg and probably will adorn the disabled list for the greater part of the season.

But as they stand the Cubs seem to be the only team to dispute the Cardinal claim to the supremacy of the West. Mitchell lately acquired Fred Merkle from Brooklyn for first base, while he has Larry Doyle, once a Giant, on second. Rollie Zeider, subbing for Wortman, who is hurt, is rattling around shortstop like a buckshot in an empty pail, while Charley Deal, discarded by the Braves, is showing up at third. Harry Wolter, a former Yankee, and Leslie Mann, once with the Braves, and later in the Federal League, are associated with Cy Williams in the outfield.

It's a Team of Cast-Offs.

With one exception—Cy Williams, a collegian—the Cubs are, therefore, a team of discards, who have been called from the four corners of the U. S. A. to maintain Chicago's franchise in the National League. Of course there are some likely looking recruits, notably Harold (Rowdy) Elliott, a catcher, and a few pitchers; but the present brand of Cubs is the most colorless collection that ever has represented Chicago.

The pitching staff has some dependable props in Jim Vaughn, Phil Douglas (who made good once before in the National League only to run foul of the disciplinary code), Claude Hendrix, Al Demaree and Mike Prendergast, while for second-string catchers there are Art Wilson and Jimmy Archer, the latter a fallen star. But nowhere in the Cub team is there a crimson streak of pennant possibility.

A Hopeless-Appearing Club.

If Mitchell can prod this club into action and sustain the morale through a long hard season, he will rightfully be hailed as a master mind. His chances seem much less roseate than Miller Huggins', who has a team practically made up of youngsters, fired with ambition and possessed, too, of native ability.

Chicago has no two players we would trade for Hornsby, no outfielders we would swap for Jack Smith or no five catchers we would take for either Snyder or Gonzales. And this team, the railbirds are inclined to believe, is the only Western club that should dispute Hug's claim to fifth place next October. It's high time to put a maxim silencer on such croakers. The Cards should oeat the Cubs if they never do another thing in their whole lives.

For tomorrow tilt with the Cubs, Manager Huggins intends to use Henry Lee Meadows on the hurling hill, with Snyder behind the bat. Jack Smith will show in center, and Cruise in right.

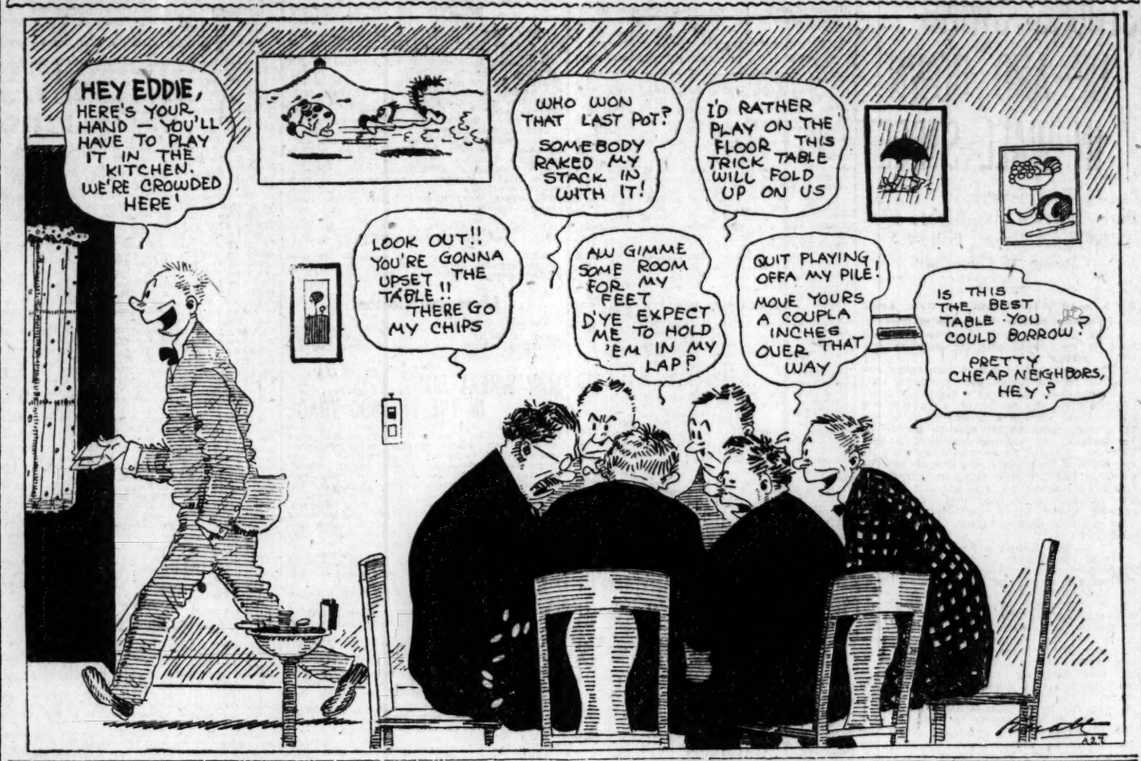
There is still some doubt about Hornsby playing. Rogers insists that he is ready, but Huggins will take no chances. Hornsby will be in uniform, however, and will be available as a pinch hitter if needed.

Walter Ruether probably will pitch for the Cubs, with Elliott on the other end of the firing line.

President Frazee paid Connie Mack a visit the other day. All Harry wanted from Connie was Wallie Schang and Amos Strunk. Harry is new in the business and probably overlocked Stuffy McInnis and Joe Bush.

PENNY ANTE: On One of Those Wobbly Little Tables

By Jean Knott



CARL MORRIS, LIKE WILLARD AND 'BAT,' WILL JOIN CIRCUS

Only Heavyweight With Chance to Beat Champion Thinks He Never Will Get Match.

St. Louis yesterday had a peep at the only heavyweight credited with a good chance to beat the world's champion, Jess Willard, in one of those cave-man, finish struggles which now seem about to pass out of the game for all time.

The 225-pound former engineer halted in this city yesterday for a few hours, on his way to his home in Sapulpa, where he expected to finish training for a match with Frank Moran. This had been scheduled by a Kansas City club for a date late this month. Reports say this match is off, but Morris had not heard this, last night.

The mastodonic Carlo, although 31 years old and now entering the sere and yellow period for most athletes, appears in better shape than he was when he passed through this city in 1911, en route to the most momentous beating he ever received in his life—that first meeting with Fireman Jim Flynn.

At that time Carl was a slouching, gawky fellow, soft and beefy and unathletic looking. Outwardly he has not changed greatly now in his dress, and he still looks like a farmer; but he is trimmer in shape and handles himself far better, both physically and in speech. Carlo is a shrewd duck these days. Paying a manager is merely charity on Morris' part, as he is quite capable of conducting his own affairs.

Willing to Box Fulton Here.

"Fulton? Sure, I'll meet him any time, any place," he said in answer to Brooklyn Tommy Sullivan's question if he would fight the Minnesota man here. "I want the money this time, however. Fulton received it at New York. Fulton is all right, but he can't stand the gaff. I think he lacks heart. Coffey? I sure beat him in New York, although most of the critics gave me a draw and some said Coffey defeated me. Of course, those matters are all as the onlooker sees them. I only know that he would be putty for me in a 20-round fight."

Morris has signed with the Sells-Forepaugh circus and will do a few weeks turn on the road. He is the third fighter to take to the sawdust, instead of the roped ring, Jess Willard and Bat Nelson having preceded him.

Thinks He Can Whip Jess.

Morris has little hope that Willard will meet him in a title fight. He thinks Jess doesn't want to risk battle or undergo hard training again. In a finish fight he feels sure he can "take" the champion.

SPORT SALAD

BY J. C. Davis



John Henry Wagner.

He toiled around the trodden ways
Twixt second base and third;
In executing double plays
He was the final word.

For years his rivals he outstripped
In doing wondrous things,
Till Father Time stepped in and clipped
The Flying Dutchman's wings.

The countless rookies come and go,
Nor swipe his diadem;
They cannot fill his shoes, and, oh!
The difference to them!

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In the Fall.

WHEN the frost is on the pumpkin
And the fodder's in the shock.
And interest in the waning season dies;
The manager and magnate
Start to take account of stock
And frame a nifty set of alibis.

They talk about the crippled
And the sundry things that keep
A team from playing pennant-winning ball;
They tell a hard-luck story
That would make the angels weep,
When the frost is on the pumpkin in the fall.

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Giddap!

THE Cards may not be the dark horse in the race.
But we look for Mule Watson to set a hot pace.

Now that Les Darcy has enlisted, we'll proceed with the war.

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There was no yellow streak about the good ship Mongolia.

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Chuck Wortman, shortstop, and Vic Saier, first baseman of the Cubs, are the owners of broken legs. Far be it from us to jump on cripples, but business is business.

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Gov. Whitman is demanding a return match with the Frawley Boxing Law. The Governor is in fine fettle and says he is confident he can put old F. B. L. down for keeps if he ever gets another crack at him.

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Freddie Welsh is the only champion who can get licked in about one out of every four fights and still be champion.

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Jim Thorpe, the well-known Fox and Sax, is now a Cincinnati Red. There is a lot of baseball left in the Indian yet and he expects to get back in the big league before long.

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Poor Jim.

DOC JOHNSTON is said to be going like a house afire, down in Birmingham, with the idea of making Jimmy Callahan commit chop sueyside; while Ping Bodie is over in dear old Philly ripping the hide off the pill with the same laudable intention.

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Ed Fitzpatrick got the jump on Johnny Evers this year and is leading the Braves in fines with a $50 plaster, plus a five-day suspension. Hit 'et up, Johnny.

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Hi Jasper has jumped the Los Angeles club for the second time in two years. Better be careful, Hi, you might jump yourself out of organized ball.

WRAY'S COLUMN

He's From Missouri, Bo.

BOB SIMPSON, of Missouri University, today and tomorrow at Philadelphia, will take part in what will probably be his last Eastern athletic competition as a representative of a university team. Simpson's college work will be done in June, after which it will be "back to the farm," for him, there to exploit some of his agricultural learning in swelling the nation's needed food supply.

Many futures have been mapped out for Simpson by considerate athletic clubs of the East and Middle-West, some of them baited with lucrative jobs. The New York Athletic Club has been especially eager to annex Robert; but he will be content to till the soil, it is now said.

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Simpson After New Marks.

TODAY Simpson is entering competition in new events—new until this season for him. One of these is the quarter-mile hurdles, probably the most exhausting of all sprinting competitions, and the mile relay.

The 440-yards record is now held by W. H. Meanix, of the Boston Athletic Association. He established a mark of 54 3-5 seconds, in a special event at Boston, on the same day and track that Norman Taber lowered the mile mark, in a paced event. In this variety of hurdle event the obstacles are placed 40 yards from the start and finish, with 10 hurdles, at 40-yard intervals.

Simpson is the fastest sprinter probably that ever took up the hurdling game. He is a 10-second man at the hundred and 22 seconds or better at the 220. He is the fastest man on the mile relay team and can do the 440 in close to 49 seconds.

He is the man of all men to set a new hurdle mark at this distance, if track and weather conditions are right.

If he accomplishes the task Simpson will have to his credit the remarkable achievement of having set two world's obstacle records and tied the third. He set the 120 yards mark, and has equaled Kraenzlein's mark in the 220.

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More Irony of Fate.

FATE is having its little jest at the expense of the Cubs, once the most powerful machine in the major league world. The jest is just a little bit of irony made possible by a couple of rusty ballplayers, men who for years fought against the Cubs tooth and nail—Larry Doyle and Fred Merkle.

It is an undoubted fact that **the future of the Cubs is put squarely up to these two men,** discarded by the New York Giants.

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Bleeding Mr. Weeghman.

Doyle broke his leg last year, after his transfer to Chicago but seems to be going well again. Merkle, after a sojourn with the champion Brooklyn team, passed on to Chicago. He was still good enough to be valued at $13,000 by the Chicago owners—**a price that represented the team's terrible need, rather than Merkle's efficiency.**

With these two passing stars, Jimmie Archer, some fair pitchers and a rag-tag, bobtail assembly of regulars, the once-famed Cub machine must oppose its old enemy, the Giants, now reckoned to have one of the strongest clubs in either major league.

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Former Giants in Their Prime.

DOYLE and Merkle ought to have some good baseball left in them. They both broke into the Giants in 1906 and therefore are going on their eleventh major league season. This is not more than the average life of a star in the major leagues today, while many are to be found still playing after a longer stay in the select circle.

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Johnny Evers, himself a former Cub and still a hater of the Giants, officially at least, is one of these. Evers is now in his sixteenth big league campaign. Illness has prevented him giving a full season's work, for some time. Even at present he is suffering from rheumatism and it is now thought he may not be able to work for the Braves, this season.

Doyle is 31 and Merkle 29—**thus both are really in their prime. What they may have lost in speed ought to be made up in experience.** And yet they are written down in New York's book as hasbeens.

We shall see, Bo. For the sake of a good, game sport, Weeghman, we hope they're world beaters.

WEILMAN WILL OPPOSE TIGERS IN FINAL GAME

Although He Worked Seven Innings Tuesday, Big Carl Is Ready to Come Back.

DETROIT, April 27.—Every day will be Bargain Day, bye and bye, at Navin Field if the weather doesn't begin to behave itself soon. It was so cold and sloppy yesterday that the scheduled game with the Browns had to be called off, making the second successive postponement in the series. This means that the next time the St. Louis club drops in to enjoy Detroit's hospitality, two double headers will be played.

Jones' men are due back here for a four-game series starting June 21. There is an open date on the schedule for both the Browns and Tigers just before this series begins, but it may not be possible for the Tigers to get home in time to utilize it as they will be playing at Washington June 19 and it is a long jump from the National Capital here. The Mound City outfit finish up in New York June 19 so it would be able to arrive here in time for a joust the next day providing the Tigers could make it.

Tough Break for Browns.

It is about a 50-50 proposition whether these two postponements are to be regretted or welcomed by the Browns. Certainly the Detroit club never will be going any worse than it is now and by June it ought to be playing a lot better ball. On the other hand, the Browns are a hard club for Detroit to beat once a day and Jennings' men probably will find it impossible to take a couple from them on the same afternoon.

One pleasing feature of the postponements of Wednesday and Thursday is that the Tigers must face Carl Weilman again Friday, providing the grounds dry up and the weather is warm enough for action at that time. The tall southpaw went only seven innings Tuesday and ought to be able to come back and show his usual effective line of goods to the Jungaleers. Jones is sure to finish up the series with a southpaw, for he is firmly convinced that the Tigers cannot hit this breed of pitching.

TODAY'S IF TABLE

Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
New York	8	2	.800	.818	.700
CARDINALS	9	5	.643	.667	.600
Boston	5	4	.556	.600	.500
Chicago	5	7	.333	.667	.500
Cincinnati	8	8	.500	.320	.471
Pittsburg	5	10	.333	.375	.312
Brooklyn	4	6	.333	.400	.300
Philadelphia	3	7	.300	.364	.273

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	Pct.	Win	Lose
Chicago	9	4	.692	.714	.643
Boston	9	4	.692	.667	.583
New York	9	4	.600	.636	.643
Cleveland	7	6	.538	.571	.500
BROWNS	5	6	.455	.500	.417
Philadelphia	5	7	.417	.462	.385
Washington	4	7	.367	.417	.333
Detroit	3	8	.273	.333	.250

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati, 6-7-2; Chicago, 4-7-5. Batteries—Ring and Wingo; Douglas and Wilson.
Cardinals-Pittsburg open date; other games postponed.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 3-6-1; Chicago, 0-7-1. Batteries—Bagby and O'Neill; Faber, Russell and Schalk.
Other clubs open dates.

Yesterday's Attendance.

Cleveland at Chicago, 2500.
Chicago at Cincinnati, 1443.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York at Philadelphia, clear, 3 p. m.
Boston at Brooklyn, rain, 3:30 p. m.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg, clear, 3 p. m.
Chicago at St. Louis Postponed, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Detroit, clear, 3 p. m.
Philadelphia at New York, rain, 3:30 p. m.
Washington at Boston, postponed; wet grounds.
Cleveland at Chicago, cloudy, 3 p. m.

CANNEFAX LOSES OPENING BLOCK TO M'COURT, 50-42

AKRON, O., April 27.—By scoring 50 points in 46 innings, an average of 1.09, Charles McCourt, present champion, won the first block of the titular three-cushion match from Robert Cannefax of St. Louis, 50—42, here last night. It was brilliant billiards all the way, Cannefax getting a lead of 10—1 in the first 10 innings. Later in the match McCourt rallied and with a high run of six, two runs of four and three clusters of threes, he managed to beat the challenger to the wire. Two more blocks of 50 points each will be played, tonight and tomorrow night.

BENTON SCHOOL NINE, A FORMER PENNANT WINNER, PROTESTS AMES CONTEST

The Benton School of Group F of the Public School Baseball League and winner of the Post-Dispatch trophy in 1915 has filed a protest with the Baseball Committee, following its defeat at the hands of Ames, 9—8, last Wednesday. A. E. Kindevater of the Board of Education stated this morning that the protest would be acted upon within a few days.

Benton's protest was signed by Arthur Walz, captain of the team, and Hugo Weston, manager, and approved by S. E. Dillon, principal of the school.

Benton bases its claims on the fact that the team was kept waiting for the start of the clash by Ames and that at 6 o'clock, when Benton was taking its sixth inning, the manager of the grounds (Fairground No. 2) gathered up the bases and Ames immediately claimed the contest.

At the time, the losers had a man on second base with one out. Benton agreed to finish out the seven innings with temporary bases, but this Ames refused to do.

In a clash originally scheduled to be played tomorrow morning, but moved up to yesterday afternoon at the request of Shaw, Sigel was returned the winner, 5—1, at Tower Grove Park. Matoushik was on the hurling hill for the winners and yielded four singles. Baird hurling for Shaw, allowed nine. The lone run for Shaw came in the first frame, while Sigel scored in the first, second and sixth.

YOUNG SHADES MORRISSEY

OGDEN, Utah, April 27.—Al Young of Oklahoma was given the referee's decision over Lee Morrissey of Idaho Falls, Idaho, at the end of a 10-round bout here tonight.

PUBLIC LINKS GOLFERS LIMITED TO FOURSOMES

Starting tomorrow, only foursomes will be permitted to play on the municipal golf links in Forest Park on Saturdays and Sundays, it was announced yesterday by Park Commissioner Cunliff. On all other days in the week the golfers can play any way they please.

The congested condition of the links on Saturdays and Sundays has made it necessary to limit the games to four players. Starter Madigan will send them off every two minutes.

Relief will be obtained, it is expected, when the new course traversing Art Hill is thrown open, about June 1.

K. C. PIN LEAGUE OPENS.

Six teams from the Knights of Columbus League will open the Central handicap bowling tournament on the Congress alleys tonight. In all, 63 quintets will strive for high honors in this event. The City Association will give nine medals to the winners. Jack Beresford and Wooster Lambert also have donated trophies to be awarded the leading individuals.

The quintets to roll tonight will be the Kenrick Council, De Andreis Council, Bailey Council, Lacade Council, Sheridan Council and Kain Council.

HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS TO HOLD TWO TRACK MEETS

The Central track team has a meet scheduled this afternoon with Ferguson at Francis Field. As Ferguson does not possess a wealth of material, Central is expected to win. Webb, Goldschmidt, Schulz, Jennings, McCoy, Carpenter and Schwartz are expected to score most of Central's points. Bremser will be unable to take part owing to an injury received in a previous meet.

The formidable Webster aggregation of county high school athletes that gave Central's team such an unmerciful trouncing, 112½ to 23½, last Saturday will have another tryout tomorrow at Francis Field. The opposing team will represent McKinley High School. McKinley will be able to put all its best performers in the field, since its baseball team has no game scheduled. Webster will have more trouble with the Crimson athletes than with Central.

WILLIAMS BATTLES GOIN.

Leslie Williams of Dallas and Jack Goin, a pair of 138 pounders, are scheduled to battle in the feature eight-round bout of the negro show at the Future City A. C. tonight. Kid Dusty and Kid Hamilton go eight rounds at 135 pounds in the semi-windup, while Congo Kid and Bobby Dukes, a pair of 128 pounders, will meet in the eight-round curtain raiser. A battle royal also is scheduled.

Doak and Sothoron Allow Less Than One Earned Run Per 9-Inning Game

Bill Doak of the Cardinals and Allan Sothoron, the young right-hander of the Browns, have proven the most effective of the pitchers for the two local clubs this season. Doak to date has yielded one earned run in 19 1-3 innings, an average of 0.63 per contest. Sothoron's mark is 0.81, he having given two earned markers in 20 2-3 frames.

Leon Ames, the veteran right-hander, and Bob Steele also have made good records for the Cardinals. The former has a mark of 1.17 and the latter one of 1.35. Eddie Plank, the ancient southpaw, is next to Sothoron.

Records of the local flingers:

CARDINALS.

NAME.	Innings.	W.	L.	ER.	Hits.	Av.
Doak	19 1-3	2	0	1	17	0.63
Ames	23	1	1	3	21	1.17
Steele	10 2-3	1	1	3	12	1.35
Meadows	26	2	1	7	21	2.42
Watson	32 2-3	2	2	11	27	2.97
BROWNS.						
Sothoron	20 2-3	2	1	2	10	0.81
Plank	9	1	0	2	2	2.00
Koob	11 2-3	0	1	5	12	2.34
Davenport	7	0	0	2	5	2.52
Groom	19 2-3	1	1	6	9	2.70
Weilman	10	1	0	5	10	4.50
Hamilton	9 2-3	0	2	7	11	6.39

Ruth Has Great Record.

Babe Ruth, the southpaw of the Red Sox, has won more games than any other flinger in either league. Ruth has landed on the long end four times and has not yet been beaten. He has allowed 9 earned runs in 36 innings, an average of 2.25. His record:

Date.	Inn.	R.	ER.	Hits.
April 11	9	3	2	8
April 16	9	1	0	4
April 21	9	4	4	8
April 25	9	4	3	6

Speaker Off to Good Start.

Tris Speaker, who dethroned Ty Cobb, the favorite son of Swat, last season, is off to a gallant start on the same errand this year. In 13 games Tristam has faced this exhister of the alien artillerymen 43 times, exclusive of walks and sacrifice hits, with a net result of 20 hits, giving him an average of .434.

Cobb has played in only 11 games, but he has been to bat 40 times, with 14 hits, an average of .350. Speaker has made six doubles and one triple. Cobb has five doubles and no triples. Ty has pilfered two bases, Tris only one.

Speaker's triple in the first inning of yesterday's game between the Indians and White Sox resulted in the defeat of the latter, 3—0. In the opening round Chapman reached first when Schalk fluffed the third strike. He scored on Speaker's three-bagger, while Tris came home on a wild pitch. Speaker scored again on a single, a sacrifice and a muff by Leibold.

Jim Bagby pitched for the Indians and had the better of the argument with Faber and Russell. Bagby was given brilliant support and held the Sox to seven hits. Bagby walked only one batter.

This was the fourth defeat of the season for the Sox. The Browns and Indians have each won two games from the Chicago delegation.

The Cubs were kicked in the slats yesterday by the Reds, 6—4, making the third defeat in five games for Chicago. A recruit pitcher named Kline went the route for Matty and was thumped for seven hits, but the Chicago runners proved so easy that he won pulled up.

Kauff Fulfilling Expectations.

Last spring Benny Kauff got away to a bad start and he never fully recovered. Withal he batted .264 and was second in base-running, having 40 thefts against Max Carey's 63. This year Kauff has an entirely more pretentious beginning. He has made 12 hits out of 32 times at bat for an average of .363. Better keep an eye on Benny.

The New York Sun says: "As to the Cardinals, they lost their appeal to the New York fans when Bresnahan ceased to be manager. The club, however, appears to have picked up the new drawing card of the league in Hornsby, a shortstop who flashed just as Wagner faded out."

SOLDAN HAS CHANCE TO LEAD HIGH SCHOOL RACE BY DEFEATING McKINLEY

Cleveland and Soldan will play at High School Field tomorrow afternoon in a game that will have a distinct bearing on the title. Soldan is at present tied with McKinley for the lead, with two victories and no defeats. Soldan has the opportunity to win undisputed possession of first place by defeating Cleveland, as McKinley draws the bye this week. Cleveland, however, must win this game to be classed as contenders. They lost their first game to McKinley.

Soldan was not classed as a title prospect until the Central game was won. Then, the stock of the West Enders took a sudden jump upward. A good pitcher, tight defense and fair hitting characterized the play in beating Central. They will need every one of these assets to win from Cleveland.

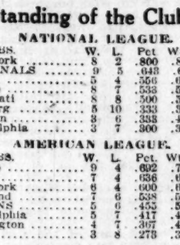
A line on the teams may be obtained through the Eden Seminary games. Soldan lost by a score of 5—1, while Cleveland succeeded in holding the theologians to a 3—3 tie in 11 innings. Cleveland is thus favored.

Central and Yeatman play the morning game. The teams played a practice game early in the season, which Central won, 5—2. However, Yeatman has been considerably strengthened since that time.

The batting orders:

CENTRAL.	YEATMAN.
Moroney ss.	Masoulo rf.
G. Whitley lf.	La Barge 3b.
Larmore 3b.	Shanley 1b.
Weidlich 1b.	Oetsel 2b.
Crossley cf.	Lampoitis ss.
Metz 2b.	Miller lf.
O'Connor or E. Whitley rf.	Crowder or Meyer cf.
Schleicher c.	Owens c.
Walt p.	Roettger p.
CLEVELAND.	SOLDAN.
Tiemeyer 2b.	Williamson 3b.
Whitbred cf.	Weisel 1b.
Placke ss.	A. Gazzolo lf.
Kilpatrick 3b.	Fitzgerald 2b.
Lippert 1b.	Shotter cf.
Eskridge or Walsh lf.	Bihr rf.
Wenzel or Bigas rf.	Burton ss.
Hlavaty or Wyckoff c.	L. Gazzolo c.
Schuls p.	Jones p.

Yesterday was an ideal day for an open date. It was too cold to watch a ball game, overcoats being the order of day. Thanks, Weatherman.



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BRITISH CONVICT SHIP "SUCCESS" AT WHARF HERE

Towed Here From New Orleans for Exhibition During Ad Men's Convention.

IT IS 127 YEARS OLD

Mayor and Delegation to Make Official Visit Before Vessel Is Opened to Public.

The British convict ship "Success," 127 years old, the oldest ship afloat, and the first ocean sailing vessel, as well as the first foreign ship to reach St. Louis, is at the Olive street wharf, to remain until after the close of the advertising men's convention, June 7.

The "Success" is being run as an exhibition enterprise, having been on display in the ports of the world since 1880. The great public interest taken in the massive old ship is due partly to her age and the remarkable features of her construction, and even more to her history as the chief of the "ocean hells" which transported English convicts to Australia in the early days of the nineteenth century.

The first work for the crew of 22 sailors here will be the raising of the topmasts, which had to be lowered to pass under the Memphis and Thebes bridges, and the hoisting of the sails, which bear the British penal brand, a broad arrow.

Run Aground Three Times.

Even with the most careful towing, the "Success," drawing 13 feet, has run aground three times, the greatest trouble occurring between Natchez and Greenville, Miss. Capt. D. H. Smith, commander of the "Success," who is at Hotel Jefferson, said today that, while he anticipated a prosperous stay here, he would not have undertaken the ascent of the river if he had fully realized the difficulties of the trip. He hopes to get back to New Orleans on the "June rise."

The ship reached Carondelet at 4:20 yesterday afternoon and continued up the river to a point above the free bridge, where it anchored for the night, tying up at the wharf after daylight. A cablegram was sent to Lloyd's, London, with which the ship is insured for $350,000, giving notice of the arrival here.

An official visit is to be made to the ship by Mayor Kiel and a delegation, before it is opened to the public.

The "Success" was built in 1790, at Moulmain, in British India. Burman teak, an almost imperishable wood, was the material used throughout. The massiveness of the beams and timbers, as viewed below decks, is a revelation in the soundness and thoroughness of the shipbuilding of that day, when George III was in the midst of his long reign, and when George Washington was serving his first term as President of the United States.

For the first 12 years of her career, the "Success" was a merchant ship in the India trade. Marks of a fight with a pirate craft, and of a shot fired upon her during a mutiny, are still shown.

Carried 300 Convicts a Trip.

In 1802, the British Government leased the "Success" for the transporting of convicts to the Australian penal settlements, then most commonly known by the name of "Botany Bay." More than 300 convicts, all in irons, were carried on every trip. Women and boys and girls in their 'teens were among these prisoners, and the "Success" was at one time devoted to the carrying of women convicts.

In those days, when the death penalty was affixed to 145 offenses, transportation was the punishment for such offenses as the theft of a pork pie or a hatful of apples. No sentence was for less than seven years. One group of six men was transported because they had committed "conspiracy" by concertedly asking an increase of a shilling a week in their wages.

Because of the confinement and the wretched food, many died on these voyages, and cases are related in which the prisoners kept a dead body among them without reporting the death, so that they might have a little extra food to divide among them.

The chains, handcuffs, dungeons and flogging implements of the convict ship are interesting exhibits. These are declared to be actual relics of the "Success" and sister ships, though they were not all in the ship when the present owners obtained it.

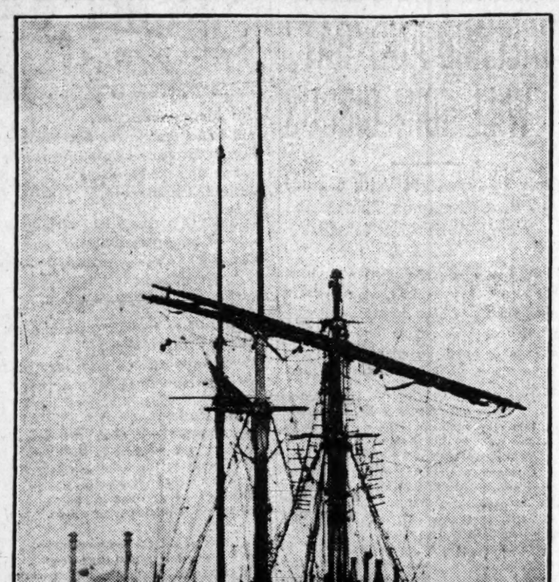
The "Success" was kept in the convict service until 1851, when she was stationed in an Australian bay as a receiving prison. In 1857, following the death of a hated Inspector-General at the hands of his prisoners, the penal system was radically changed. The "Success" was used, in the '60s, as a women's prison, then as a reformatory ship. A feeling arose in Australia against the preservation of the ships, which carried unpleasant recollections as to the ancestry of many Australians, and the prison hulks were sold, with the stipulation that they were to be broken up. Through some error, this stipulation was ont made when the "Success" was sold, and the new owners used her as an exhibition ship. This aroused feeling, and in 1892 the ship was sunk in Sydney harbor by offended residents of Sydney.

She was raised several years later, and was exhibited in British colonial ports, and later in London, where King Edward and the German Emperor were among the visitors. She sailed for America on the same day that the Titanic started on her never-finished voyage in April, 1912, and she was 96 days in crosing the Atlantic, under her own sail.

"Stick" Up Your Colors.

Paste "Old Glory" in your front window. A flag printed on good paper, with brilliant inks, all cut out ready to be "stuck" in any window will be given free with the next Sunday Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and suburbs.

127-Year-Old Ocean Sailing Ship Brought Here for Exhibit



THE SUCCESS.

Photographed by a Post-Dispatch Staff Pho tographer this morning.

COLISEUM'S VALUE TO CITY SHOWN BY SERVICE REPORT

Chamber of Commerce Compiles Statement in Connection With Plan for Future.

In connection with the referendum vote that is being taken by the Chamber of Commerce to determine whether it shall raise $30,000 for repairs of the Coliseum and $10,000 a year to meet the annual deficit, or shall petition for the erection of a civic auditorium owned and operated by the city, a statement has been issued setting forth the history of the institution and the service it has rendered to the community.

The Coliseum project was started in 1906 as a civic undertaking. The Business Men's League, now called the Chamber of Commerce, raised subscriptions of $131,000. The plans were altered and the board of directors borrowed $100,000 on their personal notes in order that the city might be provided with a suitable building. When it was opened in October, 1908, the directors borrowed another $45,000 on their personal notes to pay for furnishings.

Later $15,000 was spent for equipment and the building now represents an investment of $350,000.

Uses to Which Building Put.

Since its opening it has been occupied 578 afternoons and 739 nights, classified as follows: Trade shows, 199 afternoons and 218 nights; conventions, 147 afternoons and 149 nights; public meetings, 13 afternoons and 28 nights; entertainments for charity, 102 afternoons and 154 nights; balls, circuses, horse shows and miscellaneous, 117 afternoons and 739 nights. Most of these entertainments could not have been held if there had been no Coliseum.

During the eight years that the building has been open its earnings have been $320,418.88, supplemented by $33,433.08 subscriptions and donations, making a total of $353,861.96. The expense of maintenance and operation was $149,129.86, leaving a profit of $204,732.11. The overhead expense was $202,337.27, leaving a net profit of $2394.84.

This means that the average deficit, exclusive of unpaid bond interest of $22,656.25, is $31,048.24, or an average of about $3881.03 annually.

Why There Have Been Deficits.

The directors feel that they have faithfully managed the company's business and that the deficits have been due to the physical construction of the building, which made it difficult to rent it for conventions and attractions, and they think it is unjust that they should continue to personally indorse notes to cover deficits. So they have asked the Chamber of Commerce to assume the responsibility. They believe that the deficits in the future will rarely be as much as $5000 a year.

The following conventions will come to St. Louis in the next few months if they can get the Coliseum: American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists' Society, which will give a flower show for a week and spend $50,000 for expenses; Catholic Union, Negro Knights of Pythias, Evangelischer Verein and the Missouri Retail Hardware Dealers and Mississippi Valley Implement Association.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

SOLICITORS BEGIN RAISING $50,000 FUND FOR BLIND

Two Teams Selected at Meeting at Mercantile Club—$5799 Already Collected.

Two teams of solicitors, headed by Oliver Abel and Jacob Lampert, today began a campaign for subscriptions to a fund of $50,000 to take the place of the appropriation for the Missouri Commission for the Blind, which was vetoed by Gov. Gardner.

The teams were selected last night at a meeting at the Mercantile Club, where nearly 200 men and women signed cards pledging that they would work to obtain the fund. The money is to be used to pay the expenses of a workshop, where blind persons were employed. It was closed for lack of funds when the Governor vetoed the State appropriation.

James C. Jones announced that $5799.36 already had been raised and that there had been two additional subscriptions of $5000 each, which were contingent upon the raising of the remaining $40,000. Gov. Gardner subscribed $250 and there was an anonymous subscription of $500.

YOUTH CONFESSES ROBBING HOMES IN THE WEST END

Arrest Made Because He Answered Description of Thief Suspect Who Walked Like Girl.

Policemen who arrested Alfred McNulty, 19 years old, on suspicion, near his home at 1631 Morgan street, last night, said they noticed what appeared to be a girlish manner about his walk. Information had been given to the police that a youth who walked and acted somewhat like a girl had been seen leaving West End homes which have been robbed by daylight.

McNulty admitted, at headquarters, that he robbed the homes of J. B. Bernoudy, 7033 Lindell boulevard, and Mrs. Stella Rogers, 2259 Blendon place. He said he took jewelry from the houses, but had lost most of it. A black velvet hand bag, which had been stolen from Mrs. Sam Frank of 5783 Berlin avenue, was found in his possession.

Rooming House Raided.

Policemen last night raided the rooming house of Mrs. Emma Jenkenson at 3330 Lucas avenue, arrested her, four other women and a man and seized a quantity of beer in the basement. Dorothy Urwal, 17 years old, of 4670 Louisiana avenue, and Della Robertson, 18, of Farmington, Mo., whose fathers had reported them to be runaways, were found in the house and taken by the police as witnesses.

Name for New Park Proposed.

Sherman Park is the name proposed in a bill introduced by Alderman Ellers for the Christian Brothers' College tract when it is ready for improvement as a recreational center. Alderman Ellers also presented a bill to change the name of Kennerly avenue to Northland avenue between Marcus and Euclid avenues.

New York Bond Sales.

2,000 C., B. & Q. 4s	at 96⅝
5,000 Anglo-Fr. 5s	at 94
1,000 Un. Kn. 5½s	at 100¼
2,000 B. & O. 5s	at 98
1,000 Marine 6s, 1918	at 93¼
1,000 Interboro 4½s	at 90½
2,000 Penn. g. m. ct. 4½s	at 96⅞
1,000 Kan. C. Sou. 5s	at 88⅞
2,000 Nor. West. 5s	at 91¼
2,000 Cen. Lea. 5s	at 100⅜
5,000 Un. Kd. new, 1919	at 100 11-16
2,000 Att. 5s	at 99½
1,000 So. Ry. 4s	at 68¾
2,000 B. & O. 3½s	at 91½
2,000 Anglo-Fr. 5s	at 94½
2,000 C. & O. cv. 5s	at 90
2,000 Mont. Pow. 5s	at 98
2,000 B. & O. 5s	at 98¾
2,000 Canadian 5½s, 1931	at 97½
1,000 Mo. Pac. w. i. 4s	at 62⅜
2,000 St. P. cv. 4½s	at 91
35,000 French 5½s	at 100½

MARKETS AND FINANCE--SALES AND LATEST QUOTATIONS

STOCKS SWING UP AND DOWN IN WALL STREET

Early Market Is Higher, but Selling Wave Follows; Closing Is Uncertain.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, April 27.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says:

"The irregularity into which the stock market lapsed today was partly a natural sequel to the week's vigorous speculative rise—the tendency always being to readjust accounts as the week draws to a close—and partly due to increased recognition of various pending uncertainties. One of these was suggested by the curious morning news dispatches regarding the possible sums required for our Government to finance its allies. The tax proposals, too, began to be discussed today more definitely. There was nothing discouraging in the war news.

Big Loans a Factor.

"It is reasonable to suppose that the statement from Washington, in this morning's newspaper dispatches, that the United States will probably be called upon to provide $40,000,000 to $500,000,000 a month for its allies, was a conjecture of the correspondents. The recent estimate of the British exchequer, concurred in by well posted New York bankers, was that the purchases of materials in this country by the allies had amounted at its maximum to $10,000,000 daily. This is a handsome total, but it is very far below $500,000,000 a month.

"There is no reason to believe that the purchases have increased since the statement of Bonar Law. On the contrary, they have lately decreased; chiefly because of the piling up, at shipping points, of supplies already delivered, but for which no sufficient transportation facilities can be obtained.

"If the $500,000,000-a-month conjecture were correct, it would mean an issue of $6,000,000,000 United States bonds for a single year's financing of the allies. The law as it stands limits the use of the public credit for such purposes to $3,000,000,000. It was observed, when the law was enacted that the last-named sum would not cover a full year's purchases of American material at the rate of $10,000,000 per day. But that roused no criticism, for the double reason that the purchases were known to be slackening and that it was generally believed that our Government's advances would in the main be measured by the extent to which the creation of American credits had hitherto been found necessary in financing the allies' purchases.

"Their actual placing of their own securities in our markets for the purpose slightly exceeded $1,000,000,000 during the twelve-month past. Our Government would probably lend more, because the gold shipments to New York, which settled part of the past year's bill, were from our viewpoint needlessly large. But no plausible construction of the purposes of this new plan of financing (short loans to the allies for their home expenditure) could warrant any such estimates as those put out this morning."

DETAILED REPORT OF DAY'S TRADING IN WALL STREET

NEW YORK, April 27.—A firm undertone prevailed at the beginning of today's operations, important stock showing a disposition to rally from yesterday's late selling movement. Metals, equipments and shippings led the advance, the latter being feverish because of the abandonment of the British blacklist. Central Leather, Virginia-Carolina Chemical and the Western gas shares rose appreciably, and Reading and Union Pacific, but rails in general were irregular and inactive. Many initial gains were lost in the first half hour's trading.

Speculative conditions ruled during the dull first hour, the erratic course of prominent industrials being typical of the general list. United States Steel, which opened unchanged at 116¼, soon rose a substantial fraction, only to fall back almost a point, from which it rallied, relapsing again later.

Other steel shares were variably under yesterday's final prices, while United Fruit, Ohio Gas, Industrial Alcohol and Maxwell Motors were 1 to 2 points lower. Trading became more active in the second hour on a fresh spurt in Steel, which advanced to 117¼, with more moderate gains in metals and rails. Bonds were irregular.

Specialties, notably fertilizers, monopolized the nominal dealings of the early afternoon at gains of 1 to 3 points. Meanwhile steel and the usual leaders received another setback, with marked heaviness in General Motors.

New York Curb Opening.

Reported for the Post-Dispatch by Shearson, Hammill & Co., 207 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

	Bid.	Asked.
Aetna	3⅞	4
Chevrolet	100	106
Haskell & B.	38	39
Magma	48½	49¼
Okla. Prod.	10¼	10½
Ray Herc.	3⅝	3⅞
Houston Oil	20	22
United Verde	36¼	37
Jerome Verde	2 3-16	2¼
Midwest Refg.	134	136
Cal. & Jerome	1⅝	1¾
Big Ledge	3	3½
Submarine Boat	20½	21¼
Cosden	12	13½
do new	13	13¾
Niplssing	7⅝	7⅞
Peerless	12	13
St. Joe Lead	17	18
United Motors	33	33¼
Hecla	7⅝	7⅞
B. A. Teb. new	18½	19¼
U. S. Steamship	5⅜	5½
Merritt	24	24¼

LENINE AUDIENCE DRIVEN OUT BY PETROGRAD CROWD

Protest Against Exhortation for Cessation of War and His Attack on Government.

PETROGRAD, April 26, via London, April 27.—A small riot was precipitated last night when a crowd drove the audience of the Socialist Lenine into the street as a protest against his exhortations for a cessation of the war and his attacks on the provisional Government. A score of Lenine's followers were arrested but the agitator himself remains at liberty.

Lenine, who recently returned from exile through Germany, has become the leader of a faction of Socialists who seemingly desire the cessation of the war regardless of the consequences to Russia. He is living in the palace of the famous dancer Kahesinska, a former favorite of the Emperor, from the balconies of which he daily and nightly harangues his followers.

It is generally believed that he is in the pay of Germany and, at any rate, his return, facilitated as it was by the German Government, leaves little doubt in the minds of the great majority of Russians that he is working for a separate peace at the instigation of Germany. His activity is permitted by the Government, which fearsg that his arrest would make him a martyr and that he is loss harmful at liberty.

Real estate buyers are found through the Post-Dispatch.

New York Stock Quotations

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by H. Walker & Co., 307 North Fourth street

NEW YORK, April 27.

STOCKS.	Close Yest.	Open	High	Low.	Noon
Alaska Gold	7⅛	7⅛	.....	.....	7⅛
Am. Beet Sugar	93⅞	93¾	94⅜	93⅝	94⅛
Atl. G. & W. I.	98⅝	98½	99½	98	98½
Allis Chal. pfd.	85	84⅞	85	84⅝	85
A. C. & F. Co. pf.	.....	115½	.....	.....	115½
Am. Ice	25⅝	25	.....	.....	25
A. H. & L. com.	13½	13¾	.....	.....	13¾
A. H. & L. pfd.	62½	62⅝	.....	.....	62⅝
Am. Wool	50	50	.....	.....	50
Am. Sm. com.	101¼	101	101½	100⅝	100⅝
Anglo French 5s	94½	94½	94½	93⅞	93⅞
Am. Telephone	123⅜	123⅜	.....	.....	123⅜
Am. Lin Oil com.	21¼	21½	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜
Am. Lin. Oil pfd.	57¾	58	58	57½	57¾
Am. Copper	79⅞	80¼	80⅝	79⅝	80
Atch., com.	103	103¼	.....	.....	103⅜
B. & O.	77	76⅞	.....	.....	76⅞
Baldwin Loco.	55½	56	55½	55	55½
Beth. Steel B.	120	124⅝	126½	124⅛	124⅞
Cal. Petro.	19½	19⅝	20⅛	19½	19⅝
Can. Pac.	162	161¾	.....	.....	161¾
Cen. L. com.	87	87⅞	88	87	87½
Cont. Can		92	.....	.....	92
Cuban Cane S.	46½	46½	46⅝	46⅛	46⅛
Chino Copper	54⅜	54⅝	54⅝	54⅜	54⅝
Columbia Gas	44⅝	44⅝	.....	.....	44⅝
Chile Cop.	23⅛	23	23⅛	23	23⅛
Crucible Steel	62⅞	62⅞	63½	61⅞	62½
C. P. Ref. com.	24⅝	24⅝	24⅞	24⅜	24⅝
C. P. Ref. pfd.	99½	99⅝	99⅝	99½	99¼
Distillers	14⅞	14⅝	.....	.....	14⅝
Erie com.	27⅜	27⅛	28	27⅜	27⅝
Erie 1st pfd.	41⅝	42	.....	.....	42
Frisco	19¼	19¼	.....	.....	19¼
Gen. Elec.		163⅝	.....	.....	163⅝
Gen. M. new	107½	107⅝	108	106⅞	108
Gen. M. pfd new		87½	87⅞	87½	87⅝
Gulf States Steel	126	126⅜	.....	.....	.....
Great Nor. Ore.	32½	32⅝	32⅝	32⅜	32½
Green Can.	42	42	.....	.....	42
I. C.		108¼	108¼	108	108
Int. P. com.	40	40¼	.....	.....	40¼
Int. Nickel	41⅞	41⅞	43⅛	41⅞	43¼
Ins. Cop.	56⅝	57	57⅝	57	57⅝
Int. M. M. com.	27⅜	27⅝	27⅞	26⅞	27⅝
Int. M. M. pfd.	80⅞	80⅝	81	79⅝	80⅞
K. C. Sou. com	22⅜	22⅝	.....	.....	22½
Kennecott Cop.	45¼	45⅝	45⅝	45¼	45⅜
Lack. Steel	86	85⅞	86	85⅝	85⅞
Midvale	58⅜	57⅝	.....	.....	57⅝
Mexican Petro.	88⅜	89	89	88¼	88⅝
Miami Copper	42⅜	42⅝	42½	42⅜	42⅜
Max. M. com.	49⅝	49	49	48⅝	48⅞
Max. M. 2d pfd.	31½	31	.....	.....	31½
Mo. Pac. Cffs.	9	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Mo. Pac. W. I.	20	20	20⅛	20	20⅛
Nevada Cons.	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜
N. Y. Cen.	94⅞	94⅝	.....	.....	94⅝
Ohio Gas	134½	134	135	133¾	134½
Pac. Mail	22	22¼	.....	.....	22¼
Penn.	53¼	53	.....	.....	53
Peo. Gas	82⅞	84	84⅞	83⅜	83⅝
P. S. Car com.	75⅜	76¼	76⅛	76	76
Ry. St. Springs	50	49⅞	50	49⅞	50
Ray Cons.	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜
Reading com.	96¼	97⅛	96⅞	96⅛	96⅝
Rep. I.-S. com.	81	81⅝	82	80⅝	81⅛
Rep. I.-S. pfd.		102⅜	102⅜	102⅜	102⅜
Studebaker com.	87⅜	88	88⅛	87⅛	88
Sou. Pac.	94⅞	95	95	94⅞	95
Sou. Ry. com.	28⅛	28⅝	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝
Sinclair	54½	54⅞	54⅞	54¼	54⅞
Tenn. Copper	17⅜	17	17	16⅞	17
Third Av.	30⅜	30¼	30¼	30	30
Union Pac. com.	137⅜	137⅜	138⅛	137¼	137⅝
United Fruit	136	135	134	134	134
U. S. Rubber	58⅛	58	.....	.....	58
U. S. Steel com.	116¼	116⅛	116⅝	115⅞	116⅛
U. S. Steel pfd.	118½	118⅛	.....	.....	118⅛
U. S. Ind. Al.	110½	110⅛	110⅞	109⅝	110⅛
Utah Copper	114¼	114⅞	115⅜	114⅜	115⅛
Va.-C. C. C.	42⅞	43	44⅞	43	43⅞
Wabash R. A.	40⅛	40¼	40⅝	40⅛	40⅜
Wabash pfd. B.	25⅞	25⅛	.....	.....	25⅞
Western Md.	21¾	21⅞	.....	.....	21⅞
Western Union	95⅞	95⅝	.....	.....	95⅝
Westinghouse	49⅛	49⅝	.....	.....	49⅝
Willys-Ov. com.	30⅜	31	31	30⅜	30⅝
Wilson & Co.	75½	75¼	75⅝	75¼	75⅜

Sales to 11 a. m., 184,500.

EGGS ARE ONE CENT HIGHER UNDER AN IMPROVED DEMAND

Butter and Poultry Values Unchanged—Potato Market Remains Dull and Weak.

Eggs were in good demand and higher on the local market today, sales being recorded at an advance of 1 cent. Receipts were inadequate for the broad demand. Butter and poultry failed to reflect a change of importance in price. Produce values showed no essential changes with potatoes ruling dull and weak. Fancy apples were in good demand and steady. Today's prices are as follows:

EGGS—Fresh, first, 31c per dozen; receiving prices, 1c less.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 40@41c; firsts, 38@37c; seconds, 34@35c; ladle, 32c; packing stock, 27½c.

OLEOMARGARINE—Table grades in prints: No. 1 grade, 27c; No. 2 grade, 26c; No. 3 grade, 23½c; bakers' special in tubs, 19¼c; bakers' pastry 19½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Fowls (hens), 19½c; chickens, 26c; cocks, 14½c; spring chickens, 1917, 1¼@1½ lbs. per dozen, $6@6.50; spring chickens, do 1¾ lbs. and over, $7.50@8. Turkeys, hens, 22c; turkeys, toms, 23c; turkeys, culls, 14c. Ducks, 16c; ducks, muscovy, 12c. Geese, common, 12c; guineas, per dozen, $3@3.50.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 15c to 27c; hens, 20½@21½c; spring chickens, 28c; cocks, 18c; ducks, 18c; geese, 12c to 14c.

FISH—Buffalo, 10c to 12c pounds, 11@11¼c; 160 to 180 pounds, 10@10¼c. Sheep—choice at 11@11¼c; bulls, 9@10½c; spring lambs, $6 to $7.50 per head.

Vegetables.

POTATOES—Northern rural and burbank, $2.75@3; western burbank and rural, $2@2.25.

ONIONS—New Texas, yellow, $1.50 to $2.50 per crate.

ASPARAGUS—Home-grown hand bunches, 75c to $1.50.

NEW POTATOES—Florida triumphs, $3.50 per hamper.

BEETS—New Orleans, bunched, 20 dozen to the barrel, 35c per dozen bunches.

CARROTS—New Orleans, bunched, 10 dozen to the barrel, 35c per dozen bunches.

CUCUMBERS—Florida hampers, $2 to $2.50.

EGG PLANT—Fancy Florida, $2.50 to $3 per crate.

LETTUCE—Home-grown, 40c to 60c per box.

TOMATOES—Florida, $3.50 to $3.75 per 6-basket crate.

CAULIFLOWER—Home-grown, 75c to $1.75 per box.

CABBAGE—Texas, $1.60 per ton.

CELERY—Florida, 10-inch crates, $1.75.

GREEN PEAS—Alabama hampers, $1.25 to $1.75.

GARLIC—Louisiana, single strings 10c to 50c.

HORSERADISH—Home-grown, $2 to $7.25 per barrel loose.

RHUBARB—Home-grown, 10c to 15c per dozen bunches.

RADISHES—Arkansas tips, 20c to 25c per dozen bunches.

MUSTARD GREENS—Home-grown, 40c per bushel box loose.

GREEN PEPPERS—Fancy Florida, $2.50 to $3.50 per 1¼-bushel crate.

PARSNIPS—Home-grown washed, $1 per bushel box loose.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown red eating, $2.15; yellow queen and Bermuda, $1.75 per box loose.

GREEN ONIONS—Home-grown, 30c to 40c per dozen bunches.

STRING BEANS—Florida, $2 to $2.25 per hamper.

SPINACH—Home-grown, 20c per box, loose.

TURNIPS—New Orleans, $2 to $2.25 per barrel.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Cold storage: gano, $4; ben davis, $3.25 to $3.75; geneting, $6 to $6.25; willowtwig, $5 to $6.

STRAWBERRIES—Louisiana, 24-pint cases, $2.75 to $2.85.

BANANAS—In shipping order, 3¼c per pound.

ORANGES—Washington navels, $2 to $3.25.

LIMES—Jamaica, $1.25 per 100.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, $3.50 to $4.25 per box.

COCOANUTS—$55 per 1000; $5.75 per 100.

LEMONS—California, $2.50@3.25 per box.

Produce Elsewhere.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 27.—Butter—Creamery, 42c; firsts, 40c; seconds, 38c; packing, 30c. Eggs—Firsts, 31c. Poultry—Hens, 20c; roosters, 16c; turkeys, 24c.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Butter firmer; receipts, 6717; creamery higher than extras, 40¼@41c; creamery extras (92 score), 39½@40c; firsts, 38½@39½c; seconds, 36¼@38c. Eggs firmer; receipts, 31,350; fresh gathered extras, 36½c; fresh gathered storage-packed, 35@36c; fresh gathered firsts, 33@34c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby henmery whites, fine to fancy, 36@36½c; State, Pennsylvania and nearby browns, 35½@36½c. Cheese strong; receipts, 4478; State fresh specials, 20¼@c do average fancy, 20¼@20½c. Live poultry weak; fowls, 22@23c; turkeys, 17@18c. Dressed dull; chickens, 21@31c; fowls, 20½@26c; turkeys, 18@35c.

Wool Market Strong and Higher.

BOSTON April 27.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow:

"The demand for wool has been strong during the last week, the total volume of business being at least twice that of a normal week. Prices are up 1 to 2c a pound in the grease and 5c to 10c on best fine scoured wools, which have been keenly sought.

"In the West buying has also been keen, 50c being paid readily in Montana for medium to half blood clips and 48c for the best fine clips. Manufacturers are giving particular attention to military contracts."

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gath red by the Associated Press

COTTON SELLS DOWN 10 POINTS IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 27.—The cotton market opened steady today at an advance of 1 point on May, but generally 4 to 10 points lower under scattered selling inspired by the favorable view of weather conditions in the South. May eased off with the rest of the list, selling down from 19.58c to 19.75c shortly after the call, while July sold off to 19.60c and October to 18.58c, or about 6 to 10 points under last night's closing figures.

Trading was quiet, and the market seemed to be waiting for further news of the spot situation. Private reports indicated a considerable decrease in acreage in Alabama, also a decrease in Mississippi, with prospects for a slight increase in Louisiana. Private cables reported a little hedge selling in Liverpool, offset by covering against cotton sunk and end-month calling.

Cotton Opening.

NEW YORK, April 27.—Cotton futures opened steady; May 19.58c; July, 19.60c; Oct., 18.58c; Dec., 18.60c; Jan., 18.65c.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, April 27.—Cotton—Spot firm; good middling, 13d; middling, 12.88d; low middling, 12.70d; sales, 5000 bales, 500 for speculation and export.

MAY WHEAT JUMPS 17C IN THE CHICAGO TRADE

CHICAGO, April 27.—In an excited reaction from yesterday's sudden fright about peace rumors, the wheat market today bounded upward in some cases 17c a bushel. It was found that instead of foreign demand showing any signs of cessation, export bids this morning were actually higher than ever before.

The biggest advance was in May delivery, virtually no offerings of that option being available except at jumps of 12c to 3c between sales. The extraordinary rise of May forced July up 9c and September 8c, but later half of the gains in May disappeared when the urgency of shorts had subsided. Then the late months fell back about 3c from the top figures of the bulge.

Activity of wheat trading was greatest in the July delivery, but the majority of transactions were in relatively small lots as compared with previous record-breaking war flurries.

Opening prices, which ranged from 15c off to a like advance, with May at $2.33 to $2.54, and July at $2.16 to $2.18, were followed by an almost vertical ascent to $2.70 for May, and $2.25 for July, with subsequent setbacks respectively to $2.58½ and $2.22¼.

Corn went skyward with wheat. Offerings were very light, and gains ran from 4c to nearly 6c, most of which were held.

Oats developed only moderate strength, despite the strength of other cereals. Upturns did not exceed 2c.

Provisions kept within a narrow range. Gains were checked by liberal profit-taking sales.

UNLISTED SECURITIES.

Reported by Mark C. Steinberg & Co., Investment bankers, Boatmen's Bank Bldg., St. Louis.

	Bid.	Asked
American Stores Co.	38	38
American Stove Co. pfd. of dep.	99¼	100
American Stove Co.	119	120
*Brown Shoe Co. com.	67	70
Butler Brothers	257	262
Central States Life Ins.	13	15
Chicago Lumber & Coal	69	73
Corno Mills	97	100
Cities Service com.	284	286
General Baking Co. pfd.	45	47
Hart Schaffner & Marx com.	80	81
International Life Ins. Co.	60	64
Kaufman Dept. Stores com.	30	35
S. S. Kresge com. (par $10)	10	11
Lacledo Steel Co.	241	250
Inland Steel Co.	177	183
*Mas Dept. Stores com.	50	60
Prescott Inv.	134	
Shapleigh Hdw. com.	190	200
Simmons Hardware com.	265	270
St. Louis Screw Co.		240
Mo. State Life Ins.	24	28
Burroughs Add. Mach. Co.	188	190
Great Lakes Eng.	130	140

BONDS.

Am. Brew. Co. 6s	82	84
Annuity Realty Co. 5s	75	80
Birm. Ry., L. & P. ref. 5s	99	100
General Baking Co. 6s	81½	84
Houston L. & P. 1st mtg. 5s	99	100
Knoxville Ry. & L. ref. 5s	91	92
Memphis St. Ry. Co. 5s	90	92
Pierce Oil Corp. 6s	82	84
St. Louis Trans. Co. 5s	53	54

*Listed on New York Stock Exchange.

Oil Quotations.

LINSEED OIL—Quote in lots of from 1 to 4 barrels at $1.23 per gallon for raw and $1.24 for boiled.

CASTOR OIL—Quote in lots of 200 gallons or over at 23c per pound for No. 1 and 24½c for No. 3 in barrels—in smaller quantities 1c per pound more.

COTTONSEED OIL—Winter white, $1.36; do yellow, $1.35; summer white, $1.33; summer yellow, $1.32; salad, $1.35; cooking—white, $1.33; yellow, $1.32.

Livestock.

Reported for the Post-Dispatch by the National Livestock Commission Co., National Stockyards, Ill.

Today's receipts: Cattle, 750; hogs, 7500; sheep, 300.

CATTLE—The trade is closing the week in very active condition and with a general advance in prices of 15c to 25c per cwt., compared with a week ago today. This advance has not been confined to any particular class, but has featured all varieties.

Quotations: Choice to prime beef steers, $11.75 to $13; good to choice, $10.50 to $11.50; medium to good, $10 to $10.50; common to medium, $9 to $10; common off-colored light killing steers, $8.25 to $9. Good to choice stockers and feeders, $8.75 to $9.75; medium to good, $8.25 to $8.75; common to medium, $7 to $8.25; good to choice stock cows, $7.50 to $8; common to fair, $6.75 to $7.25; good to choice light stock heifers, $8.25 to $8.75. Choice to prime fat yearling butcher cattle, $11 to $12; good to choice, $10 to $11; medium to good, $9 to $10; common to medium, $8 to $9. Choice to fancy heavy beef cows, $9.75 to $10.50; good to choice, $9 to $9.75; medium to good, $8 to $9; cutters, $7 to $8; canners, $6 to $6.50. Good fat beef bulls, $9.75 to $10.50; heavy sausage bulls, $8.75 to $9.25; light sausage bulls, $7 to $8.

HOGS—Market active and 5c to 10c higher today on all choice hogs with good weight; top, $16, but was slow and very dull on light stuff, especially on Southern hogs; that kind very uncertain in value, as we have a limited demand for them. Choice hogs, 210 lbs. up $15.80 to $16; 170 to 200 lbs. $15.50 to $15.70; mixed hogs, 160 lbs. up, $15.10 to $15.50; 120 to 140 lb. pigs, $12.25 to $13.70; lighter pigs, $10 to $11.50; best rough hogs, $15 to $15.25, with half-fat roughs at $10 to $12.

SHEEP—This trade continues to maintain a very firm tone, with lambs fully 10c to 15c hig

MAY WHEAT JUMPS 13C TO NEW RECORD AT $2.83

Values on All Options Also Show Wide Gains as Compared With Yesterday's Finish —Corn Also Is Strong.

FRIDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.

Reported by the St. Louis Merchants' Exchange.

ST. LOUIS, April 27.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Close Thursday.	Close Last Year.
MAY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	276	283	276	283b	270¼a	110
Chicago	254@253	270	253	268½-267½	254¾@1¼	113¾b
Kansas City	262	277	262	277a	262	105½
Minneapolis	250@248	257¼	247½	256	245	118¾a
Toledo	285a	301	285	300	287	122½
JULY WHEAT.						
St. Louis	213½	222¼	213¾a	221b	213¾a	111¾a
Chicago	218@216	225	216	224½-223½	216¼	114½
Kansas City	212¾@215	223	212½	221¾	214¼a	107¼@1¾
Minneapolis	228¼-228½	235½	226½	232¾@¾	226½	110¾
Toledo	228a	230½	223	230½	222½	123¾
SEPTEMBER WHEAT.						
St. Louis	188	194¾b	188	192¼b	180a	112¼@¼b
Chicago	188¾@187	195	187	192@191¾	187¾@¾	114¾
Kansas City	187@186½	194	186½	191¼a	187¼	107¾@¾a
Minneapolis	185@186½	190	185	189	183½	119¾a
Toledo	194¼a	200	194½	198	194	123¾
MAY CORN.						
St. Louis	152	152¼b	152	152¼b	150a	74¼a
Chicago	148¼-147½	151½	147½	150¾@¾	148a	76¾a
Kansas City	150	152	150	151¾a	148½a	70¾b
JULY CORN.						
St. Louis	145¼	146¼b	144¾a	145¾b	144¾a	75¼a
Chicago	148-142½	147	142½	145¼@145	142@141¾	76½@¾b
Kansas City	143¼@½	146¼	143¼	144¾b	143	71¾@¾a
SEPTEMBER CORN.						
St. Louis	135¼@¾	137¾b	135¼	136¾b	135½a	74¾b
Chicago	134¾@¾	138¼	134½	137@136¾	134½@134	76¼a
Kansas City	133	135	133	134b	132¼@132	71¾@¾b
MAY OATS						
St. Louis					72¼b	42¼
Chicago	69¼@69	70¾	¾@69	69¾	69¼@68¾	42¼ 44½a
JULY OATS.						
Chicago	66¼@65	67¼	65	66¼a	65¼@65	¾@43
SEPTEMBER OATS.						
Chicago	56¼@¼	58	56¼	57¼b	56¼	39¾

A "squeeze" of shorts in May wheat in Chicago of 17c a bushel was reflected in the local May option by a jump of 13c in today's early trading, with the price touching $2.78, a new high record by a wide margin. The July option sold at $2.21, compared with yesterday's finish at $2.13⅜, while September rose to $1.94½, against $1.89. The market closed strong and at the top level of the day on May wheat, but under the best for July and September.

Corn futures flashed up with wheat, and the May option was quoted 2c higher at $1.52. July opened ¾c up at $1.45¼, then rose to $1.46¼. May oats were steady at 72¼c bid. Coarse grains closed irregularly higher.

There was nothing of importance in the market news to account for the wild advance other than the peace rumors which caused a sharp break in the late market yesterday, were denied over night.

Crop reports were more favorable and good rains fell over Kansas, Nebraska and Oklahoma, as well as east of the Mississippi River. Statistics were bullish, with 644 cars of wheat in the three Northwestern markets, against 810 cars last year.

Yesterday's St. Louis cash grain prices were: No. 2 red wheat, $3.90@3.01; No. 3 red, $2.85; No. 2 hard, $2.90.

Corn—No. 2, $1.60¼@1.61; No. 3, $1.60@1.60¼; No. 2 yellow, $1.61; No. 3 yellow, $1.60½; No. 4 yellow, $1.59; No. 2 white, $1.68@1.70; No. 3 white, $1.67@1.68¼.

Oats—No. 3 white, 75@75½c; No. 4 white, 74@74½c; No. 2, 74½c.

The Modern Miller says that rains over practically all the winter wheat belt have been of great help to the growing plant. Temperatures in Southern sections of the belt have been seasonable, but warmer weather is needed in northern sections. Reports from Kansas are conflicting, denoting spotted conditions. Seeding in the spring wheat country, both sides of the international line, is progressing and is up to normal in most sections.

The Liverpool wheat market was firm, with general scarcity of export offers and arrivals fair. Continental demand continues. Corn market was strong, with moderate arrivals and large absorption. Oats market firm, as influenced by strength and scarcity of other grains.

Northwest cars:

	Today.	Week.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	210	200	125
Duluth	11	2	19
Winnipeg	473	301	666
Totals	694	503	810

Minneapolis wheat stocks decreased 800,000 bu for the week; flour shipments, 82,705 barrels. Wheat shipments, 129 cars.

DAILY PRIMARY MOVEMENT.

RECEIPTS.	This Week.	Last Week.	Last Year.
Wheat	629,000	711,000	792,000
Corn	1,501,000	1,264,000	814,000
Oats	613,000	734,000	795,000
SHIPMENTS.			
Wheat	799,000	778,000	990,000
Corn	628,000	491,000	691,000
Oats	1,035,000	1,039,000	995,000

New York wired that reports were current of moderate buying of flour for French interests. Some business in oats for export also was claimed.

Clearances of wheat today were 851,000 bu; corn 135,000 bu; oats none; flour 24,000 bbls. Wheat and flour 927,000 bu.

Bradstreet's estimated shipments of wheat last week at 6,610,000 bu; this includes 3,000,000 bu additional for past six weeks, which were not previously reported; corn 1,008,000 bu.

Kansas City cash wheat was unchanged to 6c higher; corn unchanged to 1c lower; oats unchanged.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

Cash wheat was 5c higher with the demand good.

Cash corn steady to ½c up and dull for white grades; mixed and yellow wanted.

Cash oats steady early but lower to sell late; demand dull.

Quote No. 2 red wheat, $2.90@3.10; No. 4 red, $2.50@2.70; No. 2 hard, $2.92½@2.95; No. 4 hard, $2.40.

Quote No. 2 corn, $1.61; No. 3 corn, $1.60½b; No. 2 yellow corn, $1.61½; No. 3 yellow corn, $1.61; No. 2 white corn, $1.68; No. 3 white corn, $1.67.

Quote standard oats, 74@75¼c; No. 3 white oats, 73¼@75c; No. 4 white oats, 73c.

Chicago Provisions.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
PORK				
May	$38.15	$38.60	$38.15	$38.60
July	37.85	38.00	37.85	38.77
LARD				
May	21.55	21.82	21.55	21.82
July	21.72	22.00	21.70	21.95
Sept.	21.80	22.07	21.77	22.05a
RIBS.				
May	20.17@20	20.57	20.17@20	20.35a
July	20.45	20.85	20.45	20.80
Sept.	20.55	20.92	20.55	20.92

London Bar Silver.

LONDON, April 27.—Bar silver, 37¾d per ounce. Money, 4% per cent; discount rates, short bills, 4% per cent. Three months, 4 13-16 per cent.

FUR SALES TOTAL $4,100,000

More Than 3,000,000 Pelts Were Auctioned in Eight Days.

The international fur sale at the Funsten Exchange closed at 6 p. m. yesterday. In the eight days during which the auction was conducted more than 3,000,000 pelts were sold for a total of $4,100,000. Yesterday's sales amounted to $550,000.

Wolf skins sold yesterday brought more than $350,000, some of them selling as high as $26 each. Cross fox skins were another feature of yesterday's sale. They showed an advance of about 30 per cent in price since January, and the total sales amounted to $80,000. There also were sales of $75,000 worth of Canadian Fisher pelts.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Carl O. Webb ..... Memphis, Tenn
Emilie Augusta Hoster ..... 2206 St. Louis

Mikolas Surpluskas ..... 2231 Hickory
Fatronele Simonaviciute ..... 2231 Hickory

Frank Dorge ..... 4422 West Belle
Clara Belle Frazier ..... 3906 Finney

N. Arthur Parks ..... Hutchinson, Kan
Valentine Hoke ..... Oswego, Kan

John B. Chapman ..... 2239 Castleman
Sibyl M. Sommers ..... 2526 Montgomery

James P. Mullady ..... E. St. Louis, Ill
Mrs. Nancy I. McGoldrick ..... E. St. Louis, Ill

Max A. Nulsen ..... 3029 Longfellow
Irene Kollas ..... 3820 Halliday

Demetrios L. Anastasopoulos ..... 113 S. 7th
Mrs. Theodore Bournazou ..... 2607 Market

Fred C. Fischer ..... 3626 Michigan
Adele A. R. Kamper ..... 3648 Michigan

Marzin Makarewicz ..... 1416 N. 20th
Maryianna Wojnar ..... 1707 N. 19th

Earl F. Lake ..... 4132 Westminster
Hazel M. Rittel ..... 5619A Cote Brilliante

Loren John Schmidt ..... 5870 Delmar
Lottie Laura Lewelling ..... 1437 Belt

Rudolf Stangl ..... 3426 Blair
Justina Simon ..... 2113 Salisbury

Henry Smith ..... 3436 Lawton
Mollie Washington ..... 3456 Lawton

George H. Umbach ..... 3144A S. Grand
Mrs. Bertie V. Weir ..... 1755 Preston

Charles F. McCoy ..... 116 S. 10th
Mrs. Ida Richardson ..... 1002 Chestnut

Clarence C. Sieling ..... 5846 Easton
Marie L. Jaegermann ..... 5815 Easton

Armin E. Keune ..... Hermann, Mo
Estelle C. Bauer ..... 1423 Cleary

William Lambing ..... 4129A Chouteau
Freida Schneider ..... 3966 Sarpy

George Salmons ..... E. St. Louis, Ill
Mrs. Zoa Austin ..... E. St. Louis, Ill

Wiako Mataya ..... Flat River, Mo
Karolina Jurisich ..... 420 Wash

Solid Gold Wedding Rings, $3 to $15. S. Ruby, 409 N. 6th, near Locust.

DEATHS

BURNS—On Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 11:15 p. m., Rebecca Burns (nee Bommelman), beloved wife of Frank Burns Jr., and dear daughter of Jerry C. and Frieda Dettloff Woodring and dear sister of Mrs. Louise Wagner (nee Bommelman), in her twenty-seventh year.

Funeral will take place on Sunday, April 29, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 1636 Ohio avenue, thence to Valhalla Cemetery. Motor. Friends and relatives invited. (c6)

CRADEN—Entered into rest on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 8:30 p. m., Samuel T. Craden, beloved son of John B. and Nora Craden (nee Benson), brother of Charles, Joseph, Edward, Marie and Margaret Craden, Mrs. Joseph Clark, Mrs. John Hannigan and Mrs. James Smith.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1907 O'Fallon street, on Saturday morning, April 28, at 8:30, to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Carriages. (c)

DENEKE—Entered into rest at his residence, 3945A Botanical avenue, at 4:50 a. m., on Friday, April 27, 1917, Joseph H. Deneke, dear beloved husband of Ruth Deneke (nee Trexler), dear father of Florence C. Deneke, dear brother of Charles F. and Emma Lessmann, aged 47 years.

Funeral from William J. Roberts' funeral parlors, 1905 South Grand avenue, Sunday, April 29, at 2:30 p. m., to Missouri Crematory. Motor. Omit flowers. (c7)

DETTWEILER—On Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 7 p. m., at residence, 808 St. Charles street, Christ Dettweiler, father of Otto C. and William J. Dettweiler, and Mrs. Lillian Stoddard (nee Dettweiler).

Remains can be seen at Smithers & Wand parlors, 4233 Olive street, until Sunday morning. Interment at Summerfield, Ill., on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. (c)

DOUGHERTY—On Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 3 p. m., Mary Dougherty, wife of the late Patrick Dougherty, sister of Bridget and Nellie Maloney.

Funeral Saturday, April 28, at 8:30 a. m., from Cullen & Kelly's funeral chapel, 1416 North Taylor avenue, to the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. (c)

ESKILSON—Entered into rest on Friday, April 27, 1917, Emil Eskilson, beloved brother of Mrs. H. Waklin and Edwin, Olga, and Herbert Eskilson, in his twenty-fourth year.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

FELLENZ—Entered into rest on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 9:40 a. m., Elizabeth Fellenz (nee Forester), wife of the late Mathias Fellenz Sr., dear mother of Charles, John, Mathias Jr., Bernard and Henry Fellenz and Mrs. Elizabeth Heimenz and Mrs. Mary Hahn and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, in her eighty-fourth year.

Funeral Saturday, April 28, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Hahn, 907 Dover place, to St. Cecilia Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Motor.

FOSTER—Entered into rest on Friday, April 27, 1917, at 3:50 a. m., Catherine Foster (nee Smith), widow of James S. Foster, beloved mother of Frank J. and Gregory J. Foster, Mrs. O. H. Grothaus, J. W. Hubbard and J. W. Hilton and our dear sister.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1324A Euclid avenue. Due notice of time will be given. Motor. Deceased was a member of the Christian Mothers of the Third Order. (c)

GARRETT-GILLESPIE—Suddenly on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 7:45 a. m., Edward Garrett, aged 37 years, dearly beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gillespie (nee Pritchard), and Mrs. Bertie V. Weir (nee Garrett) and Mrs. W. A. Dillon, Mrs. A. E. Brown, Mrs. Jno. C. Coombs, Mrs. Jno. Manion, Mrs. E. S Buehler and Irene Gillespie and John P. Clements.

Funeral Saturday April 28, at 2 p. m., from residence, 3959 Labadie avenue to St. Matthews' Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Motor. Friends are invited. Deceased was a member of Elk Camp No. 277 W. O. W.

GERHARDT—On Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 5:50 p. m., Cassie Gerhardt, beloved wife of Peter Gerhardt, dear mother of Otto, Adam and Edward Gerhardt, Mrs. Edward Kleingfus and Mrs. George Steuber.

Remains will be shipped Friday, April 27 at 4 p. m., from Cullen & Kelly's funeral chapel, 1416 North Taylor avenue, to Waterloo, Ill. Funeral Sunday, 2 p. m. (c)

GARTHOEFFNER—On Friday, April 27, 1917, at 2:50 a. m., Rev. Aloysius V. Garthoeffner at Ursuline Convent, 2112 S. Twelfth street.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

GREINER—On Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 4:35 p. m., Charles J. Greiner of 4118 Gano avenue.

Remains will lie in state at Hetlage's funeral parlors, 907 Chouteau avenue, and notice of interment will appear later. (c)

HOSTMAN—Asleep in Jesus, on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 8:45 a. m., Katherine Hostman (nee Lang), beloved wife of August Hostman, dear sister of Daniel, Frank and Joseph Lang, Mrs. J. Wagstaff, Mrs. J. Wehrle, Mrs. H. Snelling, Mrs. H. Wehrle, Mrs. C. Klatt (nee Lang), and our dear sister-in-law and aunt, at the age of 42 years 5 months 7 days.

Funeral on Saturday, April 28, at 1:30 p. m., from Ziegenhein Bros.' chapel, 2623 Cherokee street, to New Bethlehem Cemetery. Motor. (c)

JANSEN—Entered into rest on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 9:50 a. m., George R. Jansen, beloved husband of Mollie Jansen (nee Fischer), dear father of George, Julia and Will, and darling grandfather of Georgia, Mary Virginia and Wilma Jansen Grund, at the age of 55 years.

Funeral services from family residence, 3136 Allen avenue, on Saturday, April 28, at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery. Motor. Deceased was a member of Itaska Lodge No. 420 and Missouri Chapter No. 1, A. F. & A. M.

KAISER—On Saturday, April 21, 1917, at 3:50 p. m., at Los Angeles, Cal., Lydia Kaiser (nee Schmidt), beloved wife of the Rev. John Kaiser, dear daughter of Gottlieb and Winona Schmidt (nee Wagoner), and our dear sister, at the age of 21 years 9 months and 3 days.

Funeral Saturday at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3712 Nebraska avenue, to Holy Cross Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ohio and Miami, thence to Concordia Cemetery. Motor. (c)

LIEMANN—On Friday, April 27, 1917, at 12:20 a. m., Henry Liemann, our beloved father, father-in-law, grandfather and great-grandfather, after a short illness, at the age of 87 years 7 months and 20 days.

Funeral Sunday at 1:30 p. m., from Biederweden-Duncan chapel, 1934 St. Louis avenue, to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, thence to New Bethlehem Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited. (c6)

McWHIRTER-LITHERBURY — Entered into rest after a short illness, on Thursday, April 26, at 8:20 p. m., Ethel Helen McWhirter, dearly beloved daughter of James and Ethel McWhirter, also beloved sister of Robert and Gordon, at the age of 2 years 9 months and 3 days.

Funeral from residence, 3134A Michigan avenue, on Saturday, April 28, at 2:30 p. m., to New Picker Cemetery. Chicago, Cincinnati and Atlanta papers please copy. (c)

OELIGRATH—On April 23, 1917, at the residence of her sister, Miss L. Oeligrath, 3423 Edmondson avenue, Baltimore, Md., Rosina Oeligrath, widow of Fortunatus Shaber.

Interment at Middletown, Md.

Hannibal (Mo.) papers please copy.

RICHARD—Entered into rest on Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 9:40 a. m., Martin Richard, dear husband of Ellen Richard (nee Jones), dear brother of Nicholas, Benjamin and George Richard, our dear brother-in-law and uncle, in his forty-second year.

Funeral on Saturday, April 28, at 1:30 p. m., from the residence of Thomas Jones, 5542 Waldemar avenue, to Latter Day Saints' Church, thence to New St. Marcus' Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Motor. Deceased was a member of Forest Park Council No. 788, R. A.

RYAN—Entered into rest Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 6:45 a. m., Thomas A. Ryan, beloved son of Cornelius and Hanorah Ryan (nee Casey), and dear brother of John, Margaret and Nonie Ryan.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 1533 North Eighteenth street, on Saturday morning, April 28, at 8:20 o'clock, to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited. Carriages.

Deceased was a member of Catholic Knights and Ladies of America, Supreme Council, No. 32.

Davenport (Ia.) papers please copy.

DEATHS

SMITH—Entered into rest Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 11 p. m., Frederick A. Smith, beloved husband of Katherine J. Smith (nee Seibert), dear father of Frederick W., George J. and Clarence J. Smith, Mrs. Katherine J. Dreiling, Ella M. and Florence M. Smith, our dear brother, brother-in-law, father-in-law and grandfather, in his fifty-seventh year.

Funeral on Saturday, April 28, at 8:30 a. m., from the residence, 224 Spring avenue, Webster Groves, Mo., to St. Michael's Church, thence to St. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Motor. (c6)

TASCHLER—Entered into rest on Friday, April 27, 1917, at 4:20 a. m., Caroline Kaser Taschler (nee Rosenlauf), beloved wife of A. Taschler, dear mother of John Kaser and our dear mother-in-law and grandmother, age 55 years.

Remains will lie in state at the Leidner chapel, 2223 St. Louis avenue, after 10 a. m., Saturday, April 28. Funeral Sunday April 29, at 2 p. m. Carriages. (c6)

VERBERG—Entered into rest on Friday, April 27, 1917, 6:20 a. m., Emma Veberg (nee Anderson), beloved wife of E. H. Veberg and our dear mother, after a brief illness, at the age of 38 years.

Funeral Sunday April 29, at 2 p. m., from family residence 5940 Sherry avenue.

Moline and Peoria (Ill.) papers please copy. (c)

VOGLER—On Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 5:55 p. m., Mrs. Minnie Vogler (nee Hoffmeister), beloved mother of Mrs. Stephen Hartog, Mrs. Harry Jacobi, Mrs. John Hurley, Frank, Walter, Arthur and Elsie Vogler and the late Anna Montes (nee Vogler), our dear grandmother and sister.

Funeral Saturday, April 28, 2 p. m., from residence, 2318 South Eighteenth street. (c)

WALCHER—On Tuesday, April 24, 1917, at Denver, Colo., Andreas Walcher, beloved husband of Christina Walcher (nee Appel), and father of Hans, Edward and Margaret Walcher.

Funeral Saturday, April 28, at 2:30 p. m., from residence, 1117 East Gano avenue, to St. Paul's Cemetery. Motor. (c)

WARFIELD—Entered into rest on Thursday, April 26, 1917, at 8:45 a. m., after a short illness, John Warfield, beloved husband of Minnie Warfield, and our dear brother, brother-in-law and uncle.

Funeral Saturday, April 28, at 9:30 a. m., from residence 2523 North Sarah street to St. Matthews' Cemetery. Relatives, relatives, relatives and friends are invited. Carriages. (c)

WELCH—Entered into rest on Friday, April 27, 1917, at 2:30 a. m., Joan Welch (nee Pace), beloved wife of George A. Welch, dear mother of Mrs. Alice Armstrong, Lee Welch, Mrs. Essie Watters, Mrs. Isola Warnick, Mrs. Sylva Bullitue, Cra, Geraldins, Maude, and Robert Welch, dear mother-in-law and grandmother, in her forty-sixth year.

Remains will lie in state at the residence, 4540 Manchester avenue, until Sunday, April 29, 8 a. m. Interment at Salem, Mo. (c)

WYKEL—Entered into rest on Wednesday, April 25, 1917, at 5:15 p. m., Annie Wykel, beloved mother of Mrs. Celie Deprender (nee Wykel), and the late Mrs. J. Cleary (nee Wykel), and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and great-grandmother, aged 78 years.

Funeral from residence, 1108A Montgomery street, Saturday, April 28, at 1:30 p. m., to Holy Cross Church, Twelfth and Warren streets, thence to New Bethlehem Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited. Carriages. (c5)

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of our dear daughter, Ruth Miksicik, who, after a brief illness, departed this life Monday, April 23, 1917, 12:30.

Sadly missed by

FATHER AND MOTHER.

LOST and FOUND

LOST

AUTOMOBILE—Lost, reward, anyone furnishing information leading to location of Haynes touring car, light six, without ignitometer; state license 13644; city license 15062; will be liberally rewarded; phone Olive 270.

AUTOMOBILE LAMP—Lost, new. Reward phone John Corley, Main 1174.

BAR PIN—Lost, diamond, with small diamonds; liberal reward. Mrs. Fred Mayer, Leona Hotel. Forest 2840.

BATTERY BOX COVER—Lost; Pierce-Arrow car; Gravois road, King's highway, Euclid, Pine, 15th and Locust to Jefferson Hotel; reward. Return to J. C. Harvey, 4th floor, Mermod-Jaccard Bldg.

BILL FOLD—Lost; black; containing about $70; on Broadway car, a. m., 27th inst. Finder handsomely rewarded by calling Sidney 3557.

CHILD'S COAT—Lost, dark blue taffeta; smocked coat; in the neighborhood of Delmar and Euclid. Return to 3564 Washington; reward. (c6)

DEALERS' LICENSE—Lost; No. 840; finder please return to 4529 Delmar; reward. (c)

DIAMOND RING—Lost; keepsake; Monday, between 2200 Howard and 1400 Blair; reward. Central 9355J. (c90)

DODGE—Lost, touring car, 1915 model, motor No. 81,035, factory No. 30,599, State license 36,491, Webster Groves license 332, letter G on side; liberal reward. Dr. Gross, 500 Carleton Bldg. (7)

DOG—Lost; small, black, female; in West End; reward. Call Cabany 0237.

DOG—Lost, small male black and tan; answers name "Princy"; wore collar with 1915 and 1916 license 6018; $5 reward. Mrs. Nicholson, 3143 North Market.

DOG—Lost; Boston bull terrier; white spot on back of neck; white breast, screw tail; liberal reward. E. L. Musick, 6310 Walton, man. Cabany 0081.

ENVELOPE—Lost, containing coral beads, silver beads, ribbon and buttons; reward. 5702 N. Grand. (c)

EARRING—Lost, one baroque pearl earring. Return to 5265 Westminster pl.; reward. Telephone Forest 7279.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, Thursday, on 9th and Olive or Cherokee car; reward offered. 5086 Page. Forest 1724R.

KEYS—Lost; with name and address. Return to F. G. Nicol, 1802 Wash; reward.

KEYS—Lost, bunch of keys; phone Central 2006 or Main 4016. Reward.

LEATHER—Lost, one bundle of leather, Thursday, April 26. Finder please return. Frank A. Britton, Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co. Liberal reward. No questions asked. (7)

MUSIC ROLL—Lost, Tuesday evening, on Grand or Bellefontaine car, roll with music. 3416 Neosho.

NECKLACE—Lost; pearl; liberal reward. Mr. Paul Ullman, 5671 Waterman av. (c)

PIN—Lost, lady's, gold, oval shape, with corals entwined in center; dear old keepsake; reward. Return 3910A Park av. (c)

POCKETBOOK—Lost, black, containing auto license and water license receipt; reward. 2057 Montgomery. (c)

POCKETBOOK—Lost; containing bracelet, small diamond; initials N. C. B.; and small chain and keys; on Wellston car; big reward. Miss Byrd, George's Lunchroom, 4484 Easton.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, lady's black, containing some money and calling card, marked Elizabeth Elliott, 4610 Delmar; reward. Finder please notify same, 3324 N. 11th st., St. Louis.

PURSE—Lost, small; containing $21; between Louise and Edmond. Return to 6245 Hamburger; liberal reward.

PURSE—Lost, at Nugent's, April 24; return glasses and keep money. St. Clair 11777L.

RING—Lost; gold; crescent, set with diamond; reward for return. 5718 Vernon. Forest 19023.

UMBRELLA—Lost, Thursday, at Cabanne Library; silvered handle, with monogram K. G.; reward. Miss Groschke, Buckingham Annex.

VANITY—Lost, Monday, on Broadway car; reward. Telephone Lindell 2100.

WRIST WATCH—Lost; gold; reward. 3843 Cleveland. Grand 3191.

FOUND

DOGS—Found, two bird dogs; white, with brown spots. Call at 4002 N. 23d st. (8)

LOCKET—Found; Indiana and Shenandoah. Call 2238 Indiana. (c)

SHOE—Found, Saturday, on Virginia and Vermont. Call Lost and Found Bureau, Post-Dispatch. (8)

WAIST—Found, lady's, on Grand car, Saturday. Phone Victor 3496X.

FOUND BY THE POLICE.

DARK GREEN POCKETBOOK AND 20c—Headquarters.

4 KEYS ON RING—Ninth District.

WHITE CANVAS SACK—Second District.

BICYCLE—Twelfth District.

32-CALIBER REVOLVER—Fifth District.

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PERSONAL

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PERSONAL—Christine M., please call Grand 2500; important.

PERSONAL—N. R., see your mother at Mrs. Hudson's, the 8th. D. R.

PERSONAL—Sam Nicastro, come back home; don't be afraid; mamma cries for you. Mamma.

PERSONAL—H, come home at once; little M. H. is crying for you, saying she would not eat until you come.

PERSONAL—Will party who saw elderly lady fall from Cherokee car, California av. and Cherokee st., April 25, 3 p. m. Kindly call Riverside 2944.

PERSONAL—Wanted, information of Mrs. Mary Johns, who came from Clarendon, Ark., Thursday, April 19, 1917. Husband, H. J., very sick and is sure you will come to see him. Call at Excelsior Hotel, 10 S. 18th, St. Louis. Simon Ittell, proprietor. (8)

SPECIAL NOTICES

SPECIAL NOTICE—To whom it may concern: The undersigned, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Hazel K. Schreiber, on and after this date, April 24, 1917.

ARTHUR J. SCHREIBER. (5)

SPECIAL NOTICE—To all whom it may concern: Take notice that on Jan. 10, 1917, the undersigned severed his connection with the W. L. Allen Coffee Co., 206 Pine st., St. Louis, Mo., the said W. L. Allen succeeding to all the business of the firm and assuming all outstanding obligations thereof.

L. V. BELT. (27)

COMING EVENTS

INFORMAL dance given by Mt. Auburn Grove U. C. Saturday evening, April 28, Hart's Hall, Semple and Easton. Admission 25c.

KILLARLEYS second dance at Compton Hall, Compton and Park. Saturday evening, April 28. (c6)

Dance Tonight at Arcadia

Dancing every Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday. Incomparable music; superb floor; restricted patronage; admission, ladies free, men 10c. Olive st., near Grand. (c79)

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

MEN. BOYS

BAKER—Sit. by first-class, as first or second hand; city or country. Stein, 4141 Labadie av. (7)

BARTENDER—Sit.; willing to do porter work; references from last employer. Box Y-149, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Wants set of books to keep in evenings, or clerical work of any kind; can operate Underwood typewriter. Box Y-194, Post-Dispatch.

BUTCHER—Sit.; married; can cure and smoke any kind of smoke meats, dress hogs, references from last employer. Sausage maker; city or out of city. Box Y-122, P.-D. (7)

CARPENTER—Wants work; screens, alterations, repairing; day or contract; reliable; references. Lindell 301. 3422 Franklin. (5)

CARPENTER—Sit.; and painter; wants house repairing and painting work. Trappe, 1752 Chouteau.

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by expert driver; will repair; references. Box N-196, Post-Dis. (5)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit.; willing to work around house or drive truck. Matt Fair, colored, 1134 N. 2d st., East St. Louis, Ill.

CHAUFFEUR—Colored wishes position in private family; willing to do other work around house; good references; call any time afternoons. Bomont 1161. Alexander.

CHAUFFEUR — SIT. BY LICENSED, SOBER AND DEPENDABLE MAN; 14 YEARS' EXPERIENCE; CAN DRIVE MOST ANY MAKE OF CAR AND DO OWN REPAIRING; AGE 28 YEARS. BEST OF REFERENCE. POST-DISPATCH. (7)

CHEF—Sit.; A-1 clean; sober; 18 years' experience; am steady. Box Y-121, P.-D. (c)

CHEF—Sit.; colored; allround pastry cook; references. E. A. Webster, 2902A Lucas.

CHEF—Sit.; or chef and wife as second or pantry; will go anywhere. Address 4158 Hartford st. Phone Victor 1996L. (7)

CITY SALESMAN—Having own car, will handle good side line. Box G-122, Post-Dispatch. (6)

DRAFTSMAN—Wants work every evening. Box G-259, Post-Dispatch.

DRAFTSMAN-Mechanical, wants spare time; home work. Box Y-140, P.-D. (7)

DRAWING AND TRACING WORK—Sit., at home. Box Y-104, Post-Dispatch. (7)

DRUGGIST—Relief clerk has Wednesday and Saturday open; best of references. Delmar 2575. (5)

DRUG CLERK—Sit.; registered city and country; experienced; capable of managing store; relief; references. Roscoe Elwyn, 5240 Delmar. Delmar 2304J. (7)

ENGINEER—Sit., with license; will do maintenance work. Box R-205, Post-Dis.(5)

FARMHAND—Wants work on Missouri farm at once. Box G-260, Post-Dis. (6)

FORGE SHOP PUMP MAN—Sit.; or electric crane; with city references. Address 3211A N. Newstead, or phone Colfax 1828R.

HOTEL CLERK—Sit.; experienced; best city references. Box Y-51, Post-Dis. (7)

HOUSEMAN—Sit. by colored, to care for private place and work in neighborhood; references; more for home. Call Bomont 1394.

JANITOR—Sit., by colored, aged 24, single, willing worker; good references. G. W. Henderson, 4586 Bonhomme av.

MACHINIST—Sit.; by young man with some lathe experience. 3452 Tennessee. (5)

MAN—Sit. by young; steady, reliable; anxious to work; prefers advertising concern. Box Y-54, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MAN—Sit.; experienced; colored; as auto washer; can drive any make car. Call Charlie, Grand 1097.

MAN—Sit., gardening, experienced, competent to advise. best references. Wm. Gardner, 4162 McPherson, Delmar 264X.

MAN—Young, wishes any kind of inside work; steady and willing worker. Write Wm. H. Saville, 5321 Labadie. (6)

MAN—Young, desires copying or clerical work; spare time only. O. Nuttli, 2308 Pestalozzi st.

MAN—Sit.; city or country; work in garden and other light work; more for a steady place than wages. Address J. P. A., 2324 Olive, St. Louis. (8)

MAN—Middle-aged, wants a steady job on a farm in Iowa or Canada; all letters answered. Address C. Bickerstaff, 920 Kentucky av., Joplin, Mo. (96)

NURSE—Sit.; many years' experience; can take entire charge of patient; experienced traveler; excellent references; will leave city. Box Y-80, Post-Dispatch. (7)

PAINTER—And decorator wants to work for owner. Forest 9113R.

PAINTER—And tuck pointer wants to work for owner, Lindell 3646.

PAINTER—Having ladders, etc., work by hour or job. Grand 1688. 1084 S. Newstead.

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PLASTERER—Sit.; any kind; good worker; will work cheap. 1906 Hebert, 3d fl.

SAUSAGE MAKER—Sit., married; 20 years' experience; take any kind of work in sausage room; willing to leave city. Box G-191, Post-Dispatch. (5)

SHIPPING CLERK—Sit. by experienced young man, age 22. Box Y-87, P.-D. (7)

YOUNG MAN—Sit.; handy with tools; 2 years' experience in machinery; wants position at machinery or auto repairing. Box G-273, Post-Dispatch. (5)

YOUNG MAN—30 years of age, college and law graduate, with general business experience, would like to connect with some St. Louis concern; can furnish excellent references. Box Y-75, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SITUATIONS—WOMEN. GIRLS

COOK—Sit. by colored southern woman as cook. Call or write, 3947 Fairfax.

COOK—Sit. by good, reliable colored woman as cook in private family. 3428 Lawton.

GIRL—Colored, wants to do cooking or office work. Write Carry Mae Murphy, 2801 Morgan st.

GIRL—Sit.; home for Protestant girl of 13; good helper; must attend school; answer in morning. Children's Aid Society, 911 Locust. Olive 1087. Central 6402L.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit.; experienced; German; for general housework or cook. 1512 Menard.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl to assist with housework or cleaning by day. Bomont 232.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; in motherless home or for couple. Phone Cabany 1707. (7)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit.; elderly lady, age 43; only those respectable need answer. Box Y-48, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HOUSEWOMAN—Sit.; colored woman wants days cleaning;

HELP WANTED—MEN, BOYS

MEN—Young, to learn the automobile trade. Carpentier Automobile Engineering Co., Missouri and Pestalozzi. Sidney 1767. (80)

MEN—Five, as watchmen, between the ages of 25 and 35; 8-hour shift; salary $3 per day; must have best references and physically qualified; married men preferred; state references in letter. Box G-167, Post-Dis. (5)

MEN—For forge shop and factory work; night and day shift. Apply ready for work. FAYETTE R. PLUMB, INC., 6300 Hamberger. (c5)

MEN—Several alert, ambitious, healthy young men to learn telephone switchboard installation work with one of the largest electrical manufacturing corporations in the country. 21c and 25c an hour to start; 8-hour day; equivalent to $10 to $12 per week straight time; time and one-half for overtime. Accepted applicants will be started in St. Louis but later in all probability transferred to some other part of the country; unless you are ready to meet this requirement do not apply for the job. This is an opportunity for a young man to connect with a concern where he may grow. Chances for advancement are good to those who have an affinity for hard work. Only those who are looking for a steady job which calls for study, application and an appreciable learning toward a high-grade mechanical and electrical line of work need apply. Applicants must be single and between the ages of 21 and 25 and have a high school education or its equivalent. Write a letter telling all about yourself and state what public school and high school you attended. Box Y-43, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MOLDER HANDS—Must be experienced; steady work. Theiling-Lothmann Mfg. Co., 5819-16 N. 9th. (c7)

MOLDER—Iron, 1 white and 2 colored; no trouble; steady work; answer in own handwriting, showing past employments. Box G-219, Post-Dispatch. (5)

MOLDERS—Wages from $4.23 to $4.50 for 9 hours' work; no labor trouble. Apply at once to Lone Bros., Inc., Aurora, Ill. (c5)

MOLDER—Stove; steady, reliable man, not over 40; thoroughly experienced, capable working up to take charge; union shop, out of town no trouble; good wages; excellent opportunity; answer fully, giving past employments and experience. Box G-217, P.-D. (5)

OFFICE BOY—Wages $4; call room 400 Fullerton Bldg., 7th and Pine. (5)

OFFICE BOY—16 years old. Box R-103, Post-Dispatch.

OFFICE CLERK—Experienced, some knowledge of retail ice business; $40 per month to start. 2018 Chouteau.

PACKER—Experienced. 27 S. Main. (c)

PACKER—Experienced; must be able to give good reference. Box C-96, P.-D. (c6)

PAINTER—Apply 7 p. m., Thursday. Central 9716L. 2812 Gamble. M. Besser. (c)

PAINTER—OR TUCK POINTER, WITH LADDERS, BY DAY WORK. BOX R-257, POST-DISPATCH. (c5)

PAINTERS—Three; union; for out-of-town work. Apply Reinhardt Painting Co., 5328 Lansdowne. (c)

PANTSMAKER—Of experience, at Dostal's, 211 Victoria Bldg. (c5)

PAPER HANGER—3212 Park av. (c)

PAPER HANGERS—10, at once. F. J. Wickenden, 1012 Pine.

PAPER HANGER—Apply 2018 Ann, between 9 and 11. (c)

PAPER HANGERS—None but first-class. Southern Dec. Co., 3942 Iowa. (c7)

PAPER HANGERS—First-class mechanics wanted. Cheshire Realty and Dec. Co., 3881 Easton. (c7)

PASTE BOY—3078 Cates. Good pay.

PASTE BOY—Experienced. Apply 2018 Ann av., between 6 and 7 tonight. (c)

PATTERN MAKERS—First class wood pattern makers; steady work and highest wages paid; open shop and no labor trouble. Address Aluminum Castings Co., Employment Dept., Chene and Newton, Detroit, Mich. (c6)

PORTER—First-class, white, grocery and saloon, 14th and Hebert.

PORTER—Good; good wages. 400 State st., Madison, Ill. (c7)

PORTER—Boy; colored; apply today. Mohr & Theer Garment Co., 803 Washington. (c)

PORTER—Man for porter work in bakery. 2634 Cherokee st.

PORTER—White married man; must follow this class of work as a business; must live on premises; city references required for ability, sobriety and honesty. Call 2117 Franklin. (c5)

PRESSER—Cold; nice, neat young man at once; steady all year around. 530 Walton.

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On sheet metal stoves. 421 S. 6th st. (c5)

SADDLE MAKERS—Harness makers, machine operators, hand stitchers; wire promptly our expense. Kansas City Saddlery Co., Kansas City, Mo.

SAWYER—Rip sawyer and planer man; must be experienced; no other need apply. 3810 N. 9th st. (c5)

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SEWER LABORERS—Mafflt av. and Kings highway, $3 and up per day. Meibert Bros.

SHAPER HAND—Saw and penon machine hand. Apply Chevrolet Body Co., 3402 Burwell.

SHOEMAKER—At once. 2728 Sutton av., Maplewood.

SHOEMAKER—For repair shop. Swope Shoe Co., Olive at 18th.

SHOEMAKER—First-class man; good wages. Lungstras, 1300 Park. (c7)

SHOEMAKER—For hand repair work; prefer middle-aged man of steady habits. Henry J. Voigt, Hazelwood, Mo.

SHOEMAKERS—At once, two more first-class; $15 and up a week. C. D. Porta & Son, Fort Smith, Ark.

SHOP CLERK—Box R-235, Post-Dispatch.

SHOVELERS—25, at Grand and Lindell; also shovelers on Jefferson, in the morning. Jacob Schaefer Wrecking Co. (c)

SOLDERERS—Experienced. Apply Missouri Can Co., Hall and Branch. (c7)

SOLDERERS—And acetylene welders and sheet metal workers. R. M. Collins Vehicle Woodwork Co., 3000 Chouteau. (c)

STABLEMAN—Apply at once, 6105 Barmer av. (c)

STILLMAN—Experienced in handling asphalts and oils. Write to Box H-72, Post-Dispatch, giving experience. (c)

STOCK CLERK—Young man with experience in hardware or machine shop. Box K-172, Post-Dispatch. (c)

STOCK MAN—In electrical supply house; age 30; one who has had experience in wholesale hardware line; state experience. Box K-171, Post-Dispatch.

SUPERINTENDENT—For box manufacturing company; please state experience; machinist with knowledge of veneers preferred. Box R-72, Post-Dispatch. (c80)

TEAMS Wtd.—25, at Grand and Lindell bl., in the morning. Jacob Schaefer Wrecking Co. (c6)

TEAMSTERS — Exper. Apply COLUMBIA TRANSFER CO. stables, 12th and Spruce. (c)

TEAMSTERS—With or without tools, 400 acres. Hodgen Bates, 5072 Ridge. (c)

VARNISHMEN—HELPERS HAVING EXPERIENCE, ALSO MEN FOR GENERAL WORK HAVING SOME EXPERIENCE IN PAINT FACTORY. 1535 N. 27th. (c)

WAGON BOYS—16 to 19 years old; good pay. 1310 Spruce. (c6)

WAITER—Bar and merchants' lunch service; $10 a week; Sundays off; must be first-class man. Cafe Ross, De Balliviere and Delmar. Cabany 1315.

WALL PAPER CLEANER—Experienced. Call after 6 p. m., 1008 N. Compton.

WHEEL BOY—For messenger service. Call at 4003 Chouteau. Postal Telegraph Co., 4th and Olive. (c)

WOODWORKERS—Carriage and auto body woodworkers, machine hands and metal workers. Amil A. M. Collins Vehicle Woodwork Co., 3000 Chouteau av. (c)

WORKING FOREMAN—For our department making internal combustion engines, two cycle and four cycle, from 2 to 80 h. p. Assemblers and erectors wanted, experienced in gas engine work; 2 and 4 cycle, from 2 to 80 h. p.; write, giving references to Southern Engine and Boiler Works, Jackson, Tenn. (c80)

Wreckers Wtd., 22½c Per Hour

White or colored. 3101 Olive st. (c)

YOUNG MAN—With some experience in grocery. Call 2303 Gravois. (c)

YOUNG MEN—Three; to run in Birmingham; must have $15 cash security. 18 S. 18th st. (c95)

YOUNG MEN—Two; 17 to 20; for office work; must have A1 reference. Apply Shipkey Hardware Co. (c)

Attention, Mechanics

Wanted, toolmakers; machine tool draftsmen, lathe milling machine shaper, grinder and bench men, also help for Johnson, Brown & Sharpe automatic screw machine operators and setup men; new plant and equipment; no labor troubles; highest prices paid for skilled workmen; when applying specify experience, wages have been receiving and wages required. Apply WAGNER ELECTRIC MFG. CO., 6400 Plymouth. (c8)

SHOEWORKERS

BOTTOM SANDER—And heel burnisher. Apply McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

BOY—To feed heeler. McElroy-Sloan Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas. (c6)

LAPPER—Soft sole; good pay; steady work. Model Baby Shoe Co. (c5)

SHOEWORKERS

LEATHER WORKERS—Young men capable of cutting and fitting leather leggings and taking charge of department. Write Teitzel, Jones & Dehner, Wichita, Kan. (c7)

SHOE WORKERS—Two first-class fitters on army and cowboy riding boots; good wages, steady work. Write Teitzel, Jones & Dehner, Wichita, Kan. (c7)

AGENTS WANTED

SALESMEN — THREE, FOR SPECIAL WORK IN ST. LOUIS AND VICINITY; WE ARRANGE YOUR INTERVIEWS AND DO NOT PERMIT OUR REPRESENTATIVE TO CALL ON ANYONE ELSE; OUR PROPOSITION IS EXCEPTIONALLY HIGH-CLASS; THEREFORE WE TRAIN YOU 3 DAYS BEFORE PLACING YOU TO WORK; APPLICANT MUST BE WELL DRESSED, FLUENT AND COURTEOUS, AND ABOVE ALL, WILLING TO WORK HARD; CALL IN PERSON, 10 TO 12, 2 TO 4. 311 PIERCE BLDG. (c)

AGENTS WANTED

New and special proposition; big money to men or women. Apply between 2 and 5 p. m., RHODES-BURFORD, 414-416 N. Broadway. (c2)

LADY AGENTS

LADY AGENT—Pleasing appearance; for private photographer; good commission. H. N. Colebrook, 2808 Washington av. (7)

CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS

CANVASSERS—Ladies; none but experienced, capable and with good references need apply; to sell attractive advertising line. Realsort Purina Co., 8th and Gratiot. (c)

SOLICITORS—We have positions open to Catholics seeking remunerative outdoor employment. We supply the experience providing they are otherwise capable. Call room 1028 Chemical Bldg.

PARTNERS WANTED

PARTNER Wtd.—Reliable person with $5000; substantial income and excellent opportunity offered suitable lady or gentleman; write, making appointment. Room 712 Jefferson Hotel.

SALESMEN WANTED

SALESMEN—Three, energetic workers; local A1 proposition. 2605 Washington. (c5)

SALESMEN—4 stock. Apply Mr. Brannen, Stratford Hotel.

SALESMEN—To sell lots to colored people; must give good reference. Box C-96, P.-D. (c6)

SALESMEN—Several neat-appearing, to call on automobile owners, stores and factories; good opportunity. Call 422A N. 7th.

SALESMEN—Can make $100 per week; good proposition for right party. Olive 5475. (c1)

SALESMEN—4, who can deliver the goods, on best stock proposition on the market. Box Y-117, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMEN—To travel, southern territory, must have first-class reference; call between 9 and 10 a. m. Ford Mfg. Co., 3d and Biddle. (c7)

SALESMEN—Three young men; remunerative permanent; experience unnecessary. 504 Central Y. M. C. A. Bldg., 2 to 5 p. m. (c6)

SALESMEN—$30 to $40 a week; two first-class salesmen to call on wholesale and retail trade in city; prospects furnished. Box Y-67, Post-Dispatch. (69)

SALESMEN—High class only; former Vacuum Cleaner Builders' organization, attention. D. M. Locey-Banta, Joachim & Long. See Mr. Dedman, American Hotel, after 6 p. m. (c)

SALESMAN—Young man, experienced in dress goods, to sell to manufacturing trade; give age, experience and references if you want application considered. Box H-58, Post-Dispatch. (90)

SALESMEN—Capable of following system where sales are made every day; must be able to make at least $200 a month; we have men earning as high as $1200 a month; no advances; commission basis. See L. L. Cook, Railway Exchange Bldg. (c)

SALESMAN—Large concern has desirable opening in their sales department for two men who wish to learn salesmanship; satisfied with $15 a week while learning; experience not required; must be neat in appearance. Chas. E. Connor, 304 Fullerton Bldg.

SALESMEN—By large St. Louis manufacturer; two high-grade salesmen; men who have shown above average ability as salesmen; distributing staple line to jobbing trade. We require men with good education, who are accurate and careful in handling clerical details, as well as having above average ability. Bulk of our business done with wholesale grocer trade. Territory comparatively small; headquarters right in this territory. Appeal to high-grade man, account minimum amount traveling; good portion of time is spent at territory headquarters. In reply give age, salary now received, name of concern, with whom connected otherwise do not reply. Box R-19, Post-Dispatch. (c)

SALESMEN

We are increasing our selling force and require several men with sales ability; references for the last five years required; must be well educated. 204 Pierce Bldg. (c)

MEN—With real selling ability; industrial insurance experience an asset; salary, commissions and unlimited future. 2-4, 2179 Railway Exchange Bldg. (5)

SHOE SALESMAN—Experienced; steady position to right party. O. C. Kelly, 316 N. 6th.

TIRE SALESMAN

With ability to sel automobile tires; elegant opportunity to high-class men. Box R-207, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

A LARGE NEW YORK CORPORATION

Requires the services of an educated American to travel in the interests of a large corporation backed by a large advertising campaign; big income, drawing account and quick promotion to the man that can qualify. Box H-90, Post-Dispatch.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

ADDRESSERS—Two, experienced, at once. Hoyle & Rarick Clothing Co., 606 N. Broadway.

BAKER—Good man or woman. Apply Friday evening, Townsend Bakery, Grand and Wyoming. (c)

BILLER—Young lady. Underwood typewriter, experience as biller absolutely necessary; state particulars in handwriting. Box R-276, Post-Dispatch. (c)

BINDERY GIRLS—Buschart Bros. Prtg. Co., 1427 Locust st.

BOOKKEEPER AND STENOGRAPHER—Thoroughly competent, experienced and ambitious young woman; $15 a week and bonus. Apply own writing, give age, experience, references, qualifications. Box R-73, Post-Dispatch. (67)

BOOKKEEPER—Assistant; young lady, with some experience in retail business, not necessary to have extensive bookkeeping training, but must be energetic; position offers good chances for advancement; state all particulars, salary expected, etc., in answer. Box H-28, Post-Dispatch. (c)

CASHIER—Young lady, no previous experience; apply at once. 607 Market.

CASHIER—Girl for register, experienced, reference. Frank Lind, 7th and Lucas.

COMPTOMETER OPERATOR—For railroad accounting; give experience and salary expected. Box Y-139, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Woman for plain cooking. 514 East Main, Kirkwood. Kirkwood 120.

COOK—And housegirl. 2126 Lafayette. Sidney 4080.

COOK—And general housework; with references; colored. 2924 Washington.

COOK—Competent woman for general housework; with references. Lindell 1288. (c)

COOK—Girl to cook and assist housemaid; family of three. Phone Forest 3476, 4414 West Pine bl. (c5)

COOK—Neat, reliable, colored woman, generally handy; easy work; restaurant. 724 N. 14th st.

COOK—Settled woman for plain cooking and housework; references. 1901 John. Central 5409.

COPYISTS—10; girls over 17 years, for addressing on typewriter; salary, permanent; advancement; 5th floor, 300 N. 10th. (c8)

COVERING MACHINE GIRLS—Also girls to learn; good wages and positions. National Candy Co. Paper Box Factory, 314 S. Main. (c)

DINING ROOM GIRL—Missouri Baptist Sanitarium, 910 N. Taylor.

DISHWASHER—Good wages; steady work. McKinley Restaurant, 3719 N. Broadway.

EXAMINERS—Must be experienced; $7 week to start. Apply ALLIGATOR OIL CLOTHING CO., Grand and Hickory.

FILE CLERK—To file correspondence, records, etc.; also some clerical work; must be experienced, neat and efficient. Box H-27, Post-Dispatch. (c6)

FINISHERS—On custom coats. 709 Pine, room 406.

GIRL—To help in bakery. Call 301 S. 4th.

GIRLS—For soldering; experienced only. Western Tinware Co., 1308 N. 16th st. (c8)

GIRL—Extra work Sunday. Monday, Crest Candy Shop, 317 N. Grand.

GIRLS—For general factory work. Apply Cuppies Co., 618 Elm. (c8)

GIRL—Or woman, to assist with housework; in flat, 2321A Union. Delmar 3229R. (c)

GIRLS—For light factory work. Wilder Mfg. Co., 17th and Clinton. (c1)

GIRL—To sell candy and help in ice cream parlor; good pay. 8241 N. Broadway.

HELP WANTED—WOMEN, GIRLS

GIRL—Light colored, work after school and two nights weekly; $1.50. 3550 Franklin.

GIRLS—Not under 20, to learn pressing. Apply Lungstras, 1300 Park. (c7)

GIRLS—To pack cakes. Lautz Bros. Baking Co., 4027 Pleasant st. (c)

GIRL—To assist with general housework. 5431 Cabanne av.

GIRLS—For factory work; good wages; steady work, 1545 Tower Grove. (c7)

GIRL—To help in office. $3 per week. 2616 Locust. (c)

GIRLS—To address envelopes. Schwartz, 316 N. 6th. Oriel Bldg., 5th floor. (c)

GIRLS—16 years old, to work on paper boxes. St. Louis Label Works, 926 N. 11th. (c7)

GIRLS—Experienced, and girls to learn. Geo. V. Steffens' Paper Box Co., Broadway and Hickory.

GIRL—For dining room and housework; family of three. Forest 3476. 4414 West Pine.

GIRLS—Few, good, to operate cutting machines and inspect bags. Apply Werthan Bag Co., 70 Dock st.

GIRLS—16 and over, to work in cake and cracker factory. Apply tomorrow at 7 a. m., 15th and Clark.

GIRL—White, for general housework; references. 4339 Washington; private family.

GIRLS—Two, to work in mailing department wrapping and labeling. Chattanooga Medicine Co., 1901 Pine. (c5)

GIRL—Colored; or woman, to work in Chinese laundry; must know how to wash, fold and iron shirts, $6.50 a week, with lunch. Joe Sing, 1243 Hodiamont. Cabany 2190. (c)

GIRLS—Manufacturing firm wants two girls for billing department; Underwood typewriters; must be good at figures; state experience along this line in handwriting, and salary desired; references. Box R-275, Post-Dispatch. (c)

GIRLS WANTED

Good pay. Apply SWITZER'S YELLOW JACKET CO., 612 N. Main. (c5)

GIRLS

Over 16, for office work and cashiers. SCHAPER'S STORE, 6th and Washington. (c34)

GIRLS—GIRLS, GIRLS

Bag sewers and turners; steady work; good wages; free coffee; good pay while learning. FULTON BAG AND COTTON MILL, 612 S. 7th. (c1)

GIRLS—About 16 years old, for table work; $5 per week; easy work; experience unnecessary. Apply ALLIGATOR OIL CLOTHING CO., Grand av. and Hickory. (c5)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced for cooking and general housework. 6163 Westminster. (c5)

HOUSEGIRL—For boarding house; good wages. 2911 S. Broadway. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Protestant, for general house work. Phone Grand 124, 4543 Magnolia. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; white or colored. 5402 Easton.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework. Apply 3 Aberdeen pl. Phone Cabany 2976. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, for general housework, no laundry. 3812 Flora. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced white girl for general housework. 4540 Delmar.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework and assist in bakery. 5388 North Market. Forest 5696. (5)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; two; Manchester car to 7200. Mrs. P. J. Cooney, 2811 Roseland Terrace, Maplewood.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family, good wages. Phone Grand 2186L. 3884 Utah. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—Young girl or elderly lady for light housework and assist with children. Call 5 to 7 p. m. Bonomi. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family and small home. Call 6110 Westminster pl.

HOUSEGIRL—No washing or cooking; good wages. Phone Sidney 1000 or 3325A Grand av. (c)

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; small family. 406 Clara, 2d floor south. Cabany 3782.

HOUSEGIRL—White girl for housework and assist with children; references required. 5922 Waterman.

HOUSEGIRL—White girl for general housework; small flat; no laundry. 3323 Berlin; second floor.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; references; 2 adults; no home nights; no washing. 710 Eastgate, 2d floor south. Cabany 6125.

HOUSEGIRL—For general housework; no washing or outside work; small family; good wages. 5865 De Giverville. Cabany 4056. (6)

HOUSEGIRL—Experienced, for general housework; family of three; no washing; must furnish references. Phone Mrs. A. Weber, Cabany 5596R. (5)

HOUSEKEEPER—Prefer young woman that has some experience in country. Box Y-143, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSEWOMAN—Experienced colored woman, general housework and cooking; no laundry. 5840 Von Versen. Cabany 4061.

JANITORS—Apply Janitor, 318 N. 8th.

JOB PRESS FEEDER—Steady employment; private plant. Call 500 N. 2d.

LADY—Young, experience not necessary, good wages. 404 N. 2d. (c)

LADIES—Several, of good appearance and bright, energetic and persevering, wanted for special war society work in and outside of St. Louis. No business experience necessary, but must be ambitious of backbone. Active workers will be paid $21 weekly. Write, or call 10 to 5 o'clock, 406 Ellis st., room 305. (c)

LAUNDRESS—Mondays or Tuesdays; must be neat; apply at once. 1503 Newhouse. (c)

NURSEGIRL—Small girl to care for baby. 5744 Berlin, 2d floor west.

OPERATORS—On Singer buttonhole machines. Apply ALLIGATOR OIL CLOTHING CO., Grand and Hickory. (c5)

PRESSERS—On ladies' fine garments. Dodson-Spengler Cleaning Co., 5809 Delmar. (c)

PRESSERS—Steady work, good wages. Fashion, 4234 Olive.

SALESLADIES—Apply F. W. Woolworth Co., 413 N. 6th. (c5)

SEWING MACHINE OPERATORS — To make flannel gloves.

Apply CUPPLES CO., 618 Elm. (c1)

SKIRT MAKERS—Also girls to learn. 720 Olive, 3d floor.

SKIRT OPERATORS—Experienced. Kurlander Bros., 610 N. 11th, 7th floor. (c5)

SPOTTERS—Good wages, steady work. Fashion, 4234 Olive. (c)

STENOGRAPHER—Familiar with medical terms and bookkeeping; state experience and salary. Box K-220, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced lady; state experience, references and salary desired. Box R-260, Post-Dispatch. (c)

STENOGRAPHER—With executive ability, thoroughly familiar with mail order work in mechanical line; steady position; state age, experience and salary expected. Box R-71, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

STORE GIRL—For bakery; must speak German and English; bring references. 2634 Cherokee. (6)

TRIMMERS—Experienced hand trimmers on men's hats. Shelton Panama Hat Co., 1508 Washington. (c)

WAITRESS—Experienced, no Sunday work. The Press, 519 Pine. (c)

WAITRESS—Experienced only. 4935 Delmar.

WAITRESS—$7, 6 days. One Minute, 817 Pine st.

WAITRESSES—Experienced, dinner and steady. 827 Lucas.

WAITRESS—$7.50 a week; one day off. Cafe Rose, De Balliviere and Delmar. Cabany 1315.

WAITRESSES—Three, experienced; $8 per week; steady position; we pay transporta-tion. Synsel Cafe, Keokuk, Ia. (c7)

WOMAN—Good, to scrub paints. Cabany 2402R.

WOMAN—For general kitchen work in restaurant. Apply Bell Restaurant, 1004 N. Grand.

WOMAN—Middle-aged, to assist with housework and help take care of sick mother and child; German preferred; good salary; call at one of Almanac Hotel. Ask for Mrs. H. Weisman.

NEW ERA SHIRT FACTORY

901 Lucas av., wants experienced Union Special sleevers and girls to put on cuffs; also girls to whom we will teach shirtmaking. Come in and talk to Miss Herzog, who will tell you what we can do for you. (c5)

SALESLADIES WANTED

SALESLADIES—Crew, 10; $2.50 day; advertising campaign; steady position; city travel. Bellis, 4349 Cook. (c6)

SALESLADY—Experienced. Finke's Candy Kitchen, 16 Collinsville av., East St. Louis, Ill. (6)

SALESLADIES—We offer to Catholic women a few outdoor positions. To intelligent women the work is both remunerative and congenial. Call O'Keeffe Co., 1028 Chemical Bldg. (5)

SALESLADIES

SCHAPER STORES, 6th and Washington. (c)

SHOEWORKERS

PACKERS—Experienced; box marker and tan repairers. Apply American Gentlemen's Packing Room, 2350 Randolph. (c6)

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED

FEEDERS AND FOLDERS—Apply Halloran & Klaus Co., 1515-17 Clark. (c)

FEEDERS—Shakers and ironers. Planters Hotel Laundry.

FINISHERS — Experienced on high grade soft and laundered shirts and pressers on soft collar work; positively steady work; good wages. ELY & WALKER SHIRT FACTORY, 8th and Hickory sts. (c6)

HEAD MARKER AND ASSORTER—Experienced, in shirt department; good position for right party; must furnish references; good wages and steady work. Apply at once, Model Laundry, 2907 Pine. (c7)

MANGLE GIRLS—Experienced; shakers. New Crystal Laundry, 3906 Laclede. (c)

MARKERS AND ASSORTERS—2 experienced; 1 experienced cuffer, 1 body ironer (experienced), 1 starcher; satisfactory wages and steady employment guaranteed. Apply Maplewood Laundry, 7115 Manchester. (c7)

STARCHER—Experienced. Apply Peerless Laundry, 2135 Clark. (c)

BUSINESS CHANCES

AN investment absolutely secured and guaranteed to earn 10 per cent on $500 to $2000; this is an opportunity you should investigate. Box H-12, Post-Dispatch. (c96)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Bakers, attention! We will sell movable bake oven, guaranteed satisfaction, terms to suit. Write for catalogue. Middleby-Marshall Oven Mfg. Co., 605-7 S. 6th st., St. Louis, Mo. (c86)

MOVING PICTURE THEATER, seating 500, stage, opera chairs, centrally located, business district; all street cars pass door. George Dissinger, 323 Missouri av., East St. Louis, Ill. (7)

SPLENDID business opportunity for young man with $1000 investment. Box G-217, Post-Dispatch. (80)

THEATER—For rent, fully equipped; license paid; ready to run. 5177 Easton. Delmar 744.

BUSINESS WANTED

BUSINESS sold quick; money loaned to buyers; phone Main 208, Central 6453 for particulars. E. L. CASPAR & CO., 103 N. 5th st. (80)

LATHE AND BENCH WORK Wtd.—Box Y-107, Post-Dispatch. (7)

MOVING of all kinds; responsible people; auto truck. Bomont 506. C. W. Smith. (4)

BUSINESS FOR SALE

AIRDOME—For sale or exchange; fully equipped; fine location; will consider vacant or improved and assume. Box H-252, Post-Dispatch. (c5)

BATHING BEACH—Established 2 years, on Meramec River. Apply to Henry Otto, Fenton, Mo. (c80)

BOARDING HOUSE—12 rooms; all occupied; must sell at once. 3033 Washington. (7)

BUSINESS—Profitable ice, fuel and moving; 2 ice wagons and 2 moving vans; running; books and route; 2 reliable parties leaving city. Box G-236, Post-Dispatch. (80)

CONFECTIONERY—Ice cream parlor, candies, cigars, tobacco, fruits; good stand. 3275 Olive. (c14)

CREAMERY—Best location in North St. Louis; reasons for selling. Box Y-111, P.-D. (7)

DRUG STORE—One-half interest to reliable druggist to take active charge; owner not a druggist; excellent opportunity for a live, up-to-date man; terms and terms to the right party. Box J-105, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

FURNITURE BUSINESS—New and second-hand $350, or invoice; reason for selling. 3855 Finney. (c)

GROCERY—Small, clean stock, counter, cash trade, living rooms, garden, near city limits, good location; leaving city; for particulars call at 2210 Benton st. (80)

GARBAGE BOXES—For sale, a lot of stationary fence galvanized garbage boxes; will sell for cost of material; need the room. 819 N. 11th. (c)

GARDEN HOSE—For sale; nonkink; molded hose; regular 16c per foot, special 12c; wire-bound hose special, 10c per ft.; 50-ft. couplings, complete with 2 clamps, $5; delivered. Sigoloff Bros. Hardware Co., 814 N. Sixth st. (c96)

JACKS—For sale, two No. 19 jacks, from Brookeye Mfg. Co.; four No. 2 jacks, and one Crane Co. stock and die for 2¼ and 3 inch; 2 rivet forges, complete with fan; one 1 champion forge No. 408. Call Olive 3163 or Central 470. (c6)

NEW city map, just out, showing route of every car line; every street indexed, and numbered; prepaid, 25c. Foster, 410 W. Washington av. (c30)

STEEL TANKS—Four sizes, for sale cheap. 4014 Delmar bl.

TOOLS—For sale, carpenter's and machinist's. Call Lindell 5479R. (c)

UNREDEEMED sample cases for sale; suit cases, trunks, clothing; all bargains. Ben Levi Loan Store, 600 Walnut st. (c89)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

BEDDING, furniture and clothing wanted; rugs, stoves, for shipment; high prices; 25,000 men's suits, overcoats, pants, shoes, dresses; pay to $27. Texas Shipping Co., 926 S. Vandeventer, Delmar 50R, Grand 3251. (c8)

BIX Wtd.—One, secondhand, with 6 or 7 conveniences; coffee or flour bin will answer. Call Olive 218. (c6)

CASH REGISTERS Wtd.—All makes; will pay spot cash. Cash Register Sales Co., 2107 N. 10th st., Kinloch Central 2950. (c)

CASH REGISTERS Wtd.—Badly; spot cash all makes. Moore, 815 N. 20th. Central 6066L, Olive 694. (c16)

CLOTHING—20,000 suits, overcoats, ladies' dresses, coat; ship Montana; pay up $27. Del. 865, For. 767. Auto call anywhere. Montana Clothing Co.; Gelber, 4426 Page. (c8)

DIRT Wtd.—For garden; price per delivered load; excavators, notice. Address 4001 Cook av.

JOB LOTS Wtd.—Discontinues; anything; any amount; $1 to $10,000. Box A-16, Post-Dispatch.

UNCLAIMED RAILROAD FREIGHT—For sale, airplane, moving picture booths, bailing machine, lamp black, perfumery, shoes, carbon paper, 8x10½; furniture, linoleum, showcases, rugs, new doors, automobile parts, 1 real blue coon leaded flat, emery wheels. Brady Sales Agency, 1317 Pine. (c7)

FOR SALE—WANTED

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

AMMONIA FITTINGS—We have purchased at auction from Fred W. Wolf Co., Chicago, Ill., several carloads of new ammonia fittings which we will offer at reduced prices; they are all standard fittings, 3 2¼-ton Linde ice machines, 7½-ton ice machine; these machines are new. Come and select what you want or send us your orders, which will be filled promptly. J. A. Stern, 17th and Chestnut. Both phones. (c8)

CASH REGISTERS—All makes, from $10 to $600; distributors for St. Louis cash registers; bargains in National registers. Cash Register Sales Co., Cen. 2000, 317 10th. (c8)

COINS—For sale, collection of rare old coins. Chinese carved chess set, beautiful and old curiosities; all very cheap. Box Y-44, P.-D.

DIRT—Have 10 loads of loam will haul free for anyone in district between Taylor and Sarah. Ring Delmar 1500L or Lindell 1724.

FANS—For sale, 12 16-inch and 12-inch direct current electric fans; in good condition; can be seen at 3301 Locust st. (c)

FLAGS—150 beauty spot sticker flags, for ladies, 10c. Cotten-Matlack Printing Co., 132 Collinsville av., East St. Louis, Ill.

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JEWELRY STORE—Established 25 years; good repair stand; on account of ill health; will sell reasonable. Box G-203, Post-Dis. (c)

LUNCH ROOM—For sale or rent, with all equipment. 1430 Market.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Morning and evening, can be worked by one man; papers are sent by the office; reason, sickness. 7816A N. Broadway. (c)

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Independent; 350 daily and 650 Sunday P.-D. customers; carried 18 years; on account of divide. Newton, 4037 Easton, 1 p. m. daily. (2)

RESTAURANT—Good location, between two bowling alleys. 2712 Sutton av., Maplewood, Mo. (c)

RESTAURANT—Confectionery; fine; with soda fountain; in good Illinois town; want to sell entire outfit, including building; sure money maker; will sell to someone a bargain. Box E-234, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

RESTAURANT—Doing $50 per day business, meals 25c and up; fixtures new; open only from 6 a. m. to 8 p. m.; rent $30 per month; will bear investigation; no reasonable offer refused. 5417 Olive. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—Nine rooms, 1005 Olive.

ROOMING HOUSE—18 rooms; all full; income $40 per week; price reasonable. 1405 Monroe. (2)

ROOMING HOUSE—To colored; 18-room house, furnished complete; reasonable; part cash; near Taylor av. Delmar 3574L. (90)

ROOMING HOUSE—8 rooms, beautifully furnished; sell very reasonable. 4067 Pherson. (7)

PATENTS

ALFRED A. EICKS, patent and trade mark specialist, 306 Frisco Bldg. Main 1685, Central 4548L. (15)

FOR SALE—WANTED

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

AMMONIA FITTINGS—We have purchased at auction from Fred W. Wolf Co., Chicago, Ill., several carloads of new ammonia fittings which we will offer at reduced prices; they are all standard fittings, 3 2¼-ton Linde ice machines, 7½-ton ice machine; these machines are new. Come and select what you want or send us your orders, which will be filled promptly. J. A. Stern, 17th and Chestnut. Both phones. (c8)

CASH REGISTERS—All makes, from $10 to $600; distributors for St. Louis cash registers; bargains in National registers. Cash Register Sales Co., Cen. 2000, 317 10th. (c8)

COINS—For sale, collection of rare old coins. Chinese carved chess set, beautiful and old curiosities; all very cheap. Box Y-44, P.-D. (7)

DIRT—Have 10 loads of loam will haul free for anyone in district between Taylor and Sarah. Ring Delmar 1500L or Lindell 1724.

FANS—For sale, 12 16-inch and 12-inch direct current electric fans; in good condition; can be seen at 3301 Locust st. (c)

FLAGS—150 beauty spot sticker flags, for ladies, 10c. Cotten-Matlack Printing Co., 132 Collinsville av., East St. Louis, Ill.

GARBAGE BOXES—For sale, a lot of stationary fence galvanized garbage boxes; will sell for cost of material; need the room. 819 N. 11th. (c)

GARDEN HOSE—For sale; nonkink; molded hose; regular 16c per foot, special 12c; wire-bound hose special, 10c per ft.; 50-ft. couplings, complete with 2 clamps, $5; delivered. Sigoloff Bros. Hardware Co., 814 N. Sixth st. (c96)

JACKS—For sale, two No. 19 jacks, from Brookeye Mfg. Co.; four No. 2 jacks, and one Crane Co. stock and die for 2¼ and 3 inch; 2 rivet forges, complete with fan; one 1 champion forge No. 408. Call Olive 3163 or Central 470. (c6)

JEWELRY STORE—Established 25 years; good repair stand; on account of ill health; will sell reasonable. Box G-203, Post-Dis. (c)

LUNCH ROOM—For sale or rent, with all equipment. 1430 Market.

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Morning and evening, can be worked by one man; papers are sent by the office; reason, sickness. 7816A N. Broadway. (c)

NEWSPAPER ROUTE—Independent; 350 daily and 650 Sunday P.-D. customers; carried 18 years; on account of divide. Newton, 4037 Easton, 1 p. m. daily. (2)

RESTAURANT—Good location, between two bowling alleys. 2712 Sutton av., Maplewood, Mo. (c)

RESTAURANT—Confectionery; fine; with soda fountain; in good Illinois town; want to sell entire outfit, including building; sure money maker; will sell to someone a bargain. Box E-234, Post-Dispatch. (c7)

RESTAURANT—Doing $50 per day business, meals 25c and up; fixtures new; open only from 6 a. m. to 8 p. m.; rent $30 per month; will bear investigation; no reasonable offer refused. 5417 Olive. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—Nine rooms, 1005 Olive.

ROOM

STORE AND OFFICE FIXTURES

CASES—For sale, 2 glass cases, 1 counter and 1 wall case. 3318 Lindell or 3317 Olive. (c)

GROCERY FIXTURES—For sale, 2742 Madison. (7)

SHOWCASES—For sale plate-glass top, sliding doors both sides. 5001 Delmar. (7)

SODA TABLE—For sale, glass top, with adjustable attached chairs; in good condition. Delmar 718, Forest 330.

TABLES Wtd.—Four quarter-sawed oak top for soda dispensing. Delmar 718, Forest 330.

WALL CASE—For sale, 14-ft. wall case, 3 floor show cases, safe. 1108 Locust. Olive 278. (c0)

TYPEWRITERS

TYPEWRITER Wtd.—Secondhand Underwood No. 5; state price. Box Y-85, P.-D.

TYPEWRITERS—Selling all makes, complete line; repairs, rentals. Union Typewriter Exchange, 111 N. 9th st. (c8)

TYPEWRITERS rented, nonvisible, 4 months $5; visible, 3 months, $7; initial payment applies if purchased. American Writing Machine Co., 807 Pine; Main 4412, Central 1215. (c80)

TYPEWRITERS—For sale; factory rebuilt Underwood, Oliver, Smith, Remington, Royal typewriters, $15, $25, $35; rentals, 3 months, $4 upward. St. Louis Typewriter Exchange, 211 N. 10th st. Main 1162, Central 4580. (6)

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

DIAMOND RING—For sale; 1 karat, perfect, blue stone; no reasonable offer refused. Forest 2057. Telephone between 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. Ask for Dr. L. (c)

BICYCLES AND MOTOR CYCLES

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale; new, very cheap. Louis Bamberg, 713 N. Grand. (c5)

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, 1914 Indian twin, 7-speed, full equipments; fine condition; $70 cash; leaving city. 6421 Lexington. (7)

MOTOR CYCLE—For sale, twin Indian; tandem; good tires; good condition; $50 cash. 2006 Market av., East St. Louis.

BOATS AND LAUNCHES

CANOES Wtd.—Two; good; also interested in clubhouse or site on Meramec River; give all particulars. Box Y-103, Post-Dis.

CRUISER—For sale; 38-foot, full cabin; fully equipped; a real bargain. Box Y-47, Post-Dispatch.

CLOTHING

WANTED

CLOTHING CASTOFF Wtd.—Men's clothing; best prices. Sol. 1406 Cass av. Tyler 2886, Central 5151R. (c14)

CLOTHING Wtd.—Pay highest prices. See Rosenfield, 3314 Olive. Bomont 3021, or call at store. (c)

CLOTHING and shoes wanted; ladies' and men's; will pay good price. Levin, 2706 Franklin av. (c56)

CLOTHING Wtd.—All kinds; best price paid. Oesiender, Tyler 1328W; will call at once. (c56)

CLOTHING bought and sold; get my price before selling. Cohen, 606 N. Garrison. Bomont 2460. (c56)

CLOTHING—20,000 suits, overcoats, ladies' dresses, neat, ship Montana, pay up $25. Del. Smith, 707 Auto call anywhere. Montana Clothing Co., Geiber, 4420 Page. (c5)

CASTOFF SUITS, overcoats, pants, bought and sold. Postal, Yatkeman, 2309 Market; Central 6747. (c)

CAST-OFF MEN'S CLOTHING Wtd.—Highest prices paid. 3520 Olive. Sandberg, Lindell 5082. (8)

HIGHEST prices paid for all kinds of clothing. M. Cramer, 937 N. Sarah. Lindell 4701. (c56)

A HIGH PRICE FOR CLOTHING For Texas shipments; 25,000 cast-off men's suits, overcoats, pants, shoes, dresses; pay up to $27; don't sell until you see us. TEXAS SHIPPING CO., 926 S. Vandeventer. Grand 8251, Delmar 80R. (c8)

FOR SALE

CLOTHING—Spring and summer suits and overcoats, very cheap. 1115 S. 11th st., 2d floor. Olive 4049, Green's. (c57x)

GENTS' and ladies' hand-made Panama hats at $3.50 up. 4746 McPherson av.; Forest 504.

HAT—For sale, man's silk hat, size 7¼. Call Lindell 5470R.

MUSICAL

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION

RAGTIME—Or orchestra piano playing guaranteed in 18 lessons. Orchestras for all occasions. Phone Grand 5153. Ollendorf School, 3083 Juniata. (c56x)

RAGTIME in 20 lessons or money back. Piano, banjo, ukulele, etc. Christensen Schools, Suite 1 Odeon and 4209 Virginia av. Phones: Lindell 4654, Delmar 2063L. Booklet mailed free. (c8)

TUNING AND REPAIRING

$1.50 FINE tuning, repairing; 20 years' experience. Birdman, 3340 Missouri. Sidney 2889, Victor 8076R. (c8)

SCHUBERT & SON 2807 Franklin av.; free estimates on tuning, repairing and refinishing. Bomont 171, Central 1671. (c56)

$1.50 TUNING; pianos and players; first-class repair work guaranteed; 26 years' experience. Kuhn, 2529 S. Jefferson. Victor 970, Victor 2576L. (c14)

$1.50—EXPERT piano tuning; first-class repairing; pianos and player-pianos; reasonable; all work guaranteed. W. Feldman, 2718 Park. Phone Grand 3900, Victor 4621. (c14)

FOR SALE

MUSIC TEACHERS, notice: Sheet music, mail 25c for 6 copies. Phone Sidney 3478.

PLAY-PIANO—For sale; $440; 88-note; cost $700; 42 rolls; useful; beautiful; big make; terms and trial to reliable party; have guarantee. Box A-29, Post-Dispatch. (c8)

$625 BUYS this 88-note Apollo player-piano, fumed oak case, like new in all respects, worth $750; $2.50 weekly pays for it. THE PIANO AND TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007-1009 Market st. (c56)

PLAYER-PIANO—For sale; 88-note, mahogany case, genuine cote upright grand, all the latest improvements; can't tell it from new; $198; cash or time. Langan Music, 16th and Washington av. (c56)

$115 BUYS this beautiful mahogany player-piano, worth $450 new, and in perfect condition; big snap for cash or $2 weekly. THE PIANO AND TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007-1009 Market st. (c56)

$385 TAKES this beautiful French walnut case upright piano, made and guaranteed by one of America's greatest piano manufacturers; fully worth twice this amount to anyone; $1 weekly. THE PIANO AND TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007-1009 Market st. (c56)

MAKE your plans right now to come here tomorrow and see for yourself the greatest collection of high-grade sample, slightly used, discontinued styles, ever before shown under one roof; almost every well-known make of piano can be found in this greatest piano bargain center in the Middle West. THE PIANO AND TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007-1009 Market st. (c56)

BARGAINS in upright pianos, $50 up; electric pianos $100 up; player pianos $150 up; grand pianos, round square pianos, reed organs, cabinet players, talking machines, $5 up; music rolls for all players at mere fractions of original values. Columbia graphophones $15 up; Columbia double-disc records 65c up. This place to buy pianos, player pianos, talking machines; low prices, easy terms. THE PIANO AND TALKING MACHINE EXCHANGE, 1007 and 1009 Market st. (c14)

KIESELHORST'S Exchange Department is the best and safest place in St. Louis to buy real bargains in used pianos and players; pianos of good, reliable makes, nicely repaired; also new instruments of shopworn and discontinued styles; many different makes and styles for your selection. Victrolas $15 up; over 2000 records, 60c up. Complete satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded; terms arranged to suit each buyer. Write fully your requirements if you cannot call. KIESELHORST PIANO COMPANY, Established 1879. 1007 Olive st. (c14)

FRANK STELL, BEST PLACE

To buy players; factory man; save you $30 to $150; no interest. Lester players are best. (c8)

SPECIAL SALE
USED
MUSIC ROLLS
10c 15c 25c

Former prices 50c to $1; every roll in good playing condition, only soiled by use. Many late popular rolls on sale.
THE BALDWIN PIANO CO.,
Manufacturers, 11th Olive. (c96)

TALKING MACHINES

TALKING MACHINES—All makes, hornless and horn models, rebuilt and fully guaranteed; taken in exchange for larger machines, Grafonolas, etc.; must sell at once; very lowest prices; cash or easy terms; open evenings and Sundays. Koerber Phonograph Co., 1825 S. Broadway. (c)

MUSICAL

RECORD EXCHANGE

RECORDS exchanged; Edison disc, 10c; all others, 5c and 10c; also records bought and sold. Circulating Record Co., 115 N. 10th. (c60)

BUSINESS CARDS

CARPET CLEAN'G—UPHOLST'G

CHICAGO STEAM CARPET CLEANING AND RUG WEAVING CO., 3829 Finney av. Lindell 2030; Delmar 2451. (c8)

GLOBE Carpet Cleaning Co.; renovating, upholstering, weaving. 2624 Olive. Central 4094, Bomont 852. (c8)

ORIGINAL American Carpet Cleaning Co., W. N. McCourtney, manager; 40 years in business; beware of imitators; we have no branches; renovate carpets like new; upholstering and weaving. Bomont 946, Central 4273. 2821 Easton av. (c8)

PRINTING AND ADDRESSING

CHEAPEST place in town for printing. Mascill & Co., 121-123 N. 11th. Central 7178R. (5)

STORAGE AND MOVING

ST. LOUIS MOVING CO., union help, 4672 St. Louis av. Delmar 906, Forest 569. (c80)

WE do not move by hour. Arsenal Heights Moving Co., 2725 Gravois. Victor 1667R. (c)

WE move, pack, store or buy your furniture. I. W. Davis, 1008 S. Vandeventer; both phones. (c8)

Get our bid on moving, storage, packing and shipping, by load or contract; auto or wagon; furniture in exchange. Keiner, 4721 Cote Brilliante. Delmar 1598R. (c14)

AUTO MOVING—Load or contract; furniture in exchange; money advanced on storage. Keiner, 215-17 S. 14th. Central 421R; Olive 3721. (c14)

[illegible]—Auto or wagon; by load or contract; furniture in exchange; money advanced on storage. Union Storage and Moving, 2219 Gravois. Sidney 1586W. (c14)

SOUTH SIDE Moving and Storage Co., 1903 Sidney st.; dead storage for your car during winter; insured, fireproof warehouse. Phone Sidney 235; Victor 607. (c8)

F. C. BAKER STORAGE CO., new fireproof warehouse; best service available for moving, packing, shipping, piano hoisting; furniture in exchange for moving. 2916-20 Franklin. Central 6112, Bomont 2494. (c15)

BRASCH'S $25,000 bonded storage house, separation from rooms, large padded van; packing and shipping; careful moving; estimates cheerfully given; furniture taken in exchange. 2618 Franklin. Bomont Central 2978. (8)

OLIVE Storage and Moving Co.; packing and shipping; pianos our specialty; satisfaction guaranteed; furniture in exchange; prices reasonable; storage, $1.50 per load; estimates given. Delmar 3860, Lindell 4880. (5)

LEONORI STORAGE CO.

Fireproof warehouse, for safe storage of household goods, pianos, etc.; move, pack, best service; consign your goods to our care. Grand-Laclede avs., Lindell 2155, Delmar 62. (c14)

STOVE REPAIRS

REPAIRS for any "old stove." Forshaw, 111 N. 12th. Central 3491R, Main 2043. (c8)

WALLPAPER CLEANING, ETC

INTERIOR decorating, paper hanging; work done reasonable; estimates free. J. Brownlie, 714 Walton. Forest 7257. (c)

PROFESSIONAL paper cleaning; satisfaction guaranteed; 50c up; 15 years' experience. Colfax 6977M, Delmar 2840.

ROOMS PAPERED, $5 up; rooms cleaned, $1 up. Hillman, 3455 Potomac. Victor 3822J. (c5)

PROFESSIONAL

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

ALL legal matters, damages and pension cases faithfully attended to; advice free. 1028 Chestnut. (c14)

CENTRAL LAW BUREAU, 806 Chestnut; legal matters; all courts; collections, experienced attorneys; advice free. (c8)

LEGAL matters attended to; charges reasonable; experienced lawyer; advice free. 810 Chestnut st., Suite 407. (c8)

DANCING

LAKE HILL PARK, open Sunday, April 29. Music, dancing. (6)

PRIVATE dancing lessons; 4415 Washington; latest dances, guaranteed in six lessons. Forest 4505. Mrs. Miller. (c)

PRIVATE LESSONS every afternoon except Sunday, and by appointment. Cave Dancing Academy, Olive and 29th sts.; call or phone Bomont 2063, Central 1515. (c80)

DANCING TAUGHT in four private lessons at Arcadia Dance Palace, 3517 Olive st. We teach thousands; no failures; lessons afternoon or evening. Phone Lindell 4358. (c8)

LENOX Dancing Academy, 4470 Easton; lessons every Tuesday and Friday evening. Admission: Gentlemen 35c, ladies 15c. Prof. Jennings. Delmar 3247X. (6)

NATIONAL Dancing Academy, 21st and Olive; dancing Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings; lessons every afternoon and evening. (6)

YOU can dance free to good music at the Cave Hall, 29th and Olive, Sunday afternoons and every evening except Monday. Instruction Tuesday and Friday evenings. Checking free. Admission, gents 35c, ladies 15c. Ahern & Albers. (c8)

DETECTIVES

DETECTIVE—Does shadowing and investigating, locates missing people; absolute secrecy; consultation free. 3078 Finney av., phone Bell Lindell 5102; Kinloch Delmar 3744X. (8)

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY

DRESSMAKING Wtd.—At home or engagements; $2 per day; first-class; references. 4238[illegible] Evans. (46x)

YOU will be perfectly satisfied with a dainty, well made and perfect fitting dress made by competent dressmaker; does own designing; will go out by day. Phone Forest 7326. (4)

INSTRUCTION

SHORTHAND or bookkeeping course, $25. Hartsock's private school, 1030 Hamilton. Phone Cabany 857W. (c8)

PROFESSIONAL

DERMATOLOGY—Superfluous hair and facial blemishes removed by 12-needle electrolysis; ladies only. Miss E. Cullen, 1804 Railway Exchange Bldg. Phone Olive 4511. (c80)

THEATRICAL

AMATEUR night, Saturday, April 28; 3 theatrical cash prizes. Olivia Cafe, Grand and Windsor. (6)

BELMONT SAYS: If you want success, study with me; my method lessens failure. Teachers of acting for pictures and the stage, singing, dancing, chorus and vaudeville; private instructions. Belmont School, 3766 Olive. Established 1912. (c)

PATRIOTIC SLIDES—For sale; American flag, Uncle Sam, George Washington, President Wilson, song slides, "Star Spangled Banner," "America," and others. A. S. Aloe Co., 513 Olive st., St. Louis. (c8)

PIANO PLAYER—Wants work for Saturday nights; call 6 to 8 Friday. 5090A, Easton.

THEATER CONTENTS—For sale; almost new; 500 folding opera chairs; machine piano. 3177 Easton.

VAUDEVILLE ACT Wtd.—Good; must be double. Address Gus Kerasotes, Royal Theater, Springfield, Ill.

ROOMS and BOARD

SOUTH—South of Chouteau avenue-Forest Park; NORTH—North of Cass-Easton avenue; WEST—Grand to Grand, Chouteau to Cass-Easton. WEST—Grand to city limits, Chouteau avenue-Forest Park to Cass-Easton.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM—In private West End apartment, for congenial gentleman; apartment privileges; $10 per month. Forest 1399R. (7)

CENTRAL

BELL, 3518—One large room, furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping; electricity, gas, hot water, phone.

COMPTON, 1119 N.—Connecting or single rooms furnished for light housekeeping or sleeping.

COMPTON, 1008 N.—3 connecting furnished housekeeping rooms; gas range, private entrance.

EIGHTEENTH, 1129 N.—Neatly furnished front room, for gentlemen.

EIGHTEENTH, 1117 N.—Newly furnished connecting rooms, yard, gas; all conveniences; good neighborhood.

FRANKLIN, 1600—Furnished connecting rooms, on ground floor; water in kitchen.

FRANKLIN 2021—Furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; gas.

LACLEDE, 3247—Large furnished rooms; light housekeeping; $2.50.

LACLEDE, 3247—Large 2d-floor front housekeeping rooms; gas range, both phones; others, $2.50 a week. (7)

LOCUST, 3127—100 clean, modern rooms; 75c day, $3 week; also rooms with private bath. (6)

LOUST, 1815—Nicely furnished parlor room; also others, $1.50 up; all conveniences. (7)

ROOMS FOR RENT—CENTRAL

LOCUST, 2325—Nicely furnished room; electric light, bath; $1.25; gentlemen only. (6)

LUCAS, 3550—Sleeping rooms, $1 week up; also housekeeping; very reasonable; free telephone. (7)

MORGAN, 3411—Connecting and single room for light housekeeping, $3.50 and up. (6)

MORGAN, 1816—Nicely furnished front and back rooms; gents or housekeeping, $1.50 week up.

OLIVE, 2023—Nicely furnished rooms, gentleman; $1.25 to $2.50 week; hot bath.

WASHINGTON, 1300—Furnished rooms, $1 per week and up. (7)

WASHINGTON, 2631—2d floor front and other large housekeeping rooms; beautifully furnished, $2.50, $3.

SOUTH

BINGHAM, 4261—2 large rooms.

DILLON, 1807—Large 3d-floor front room for men, $1.50. Central 9376J.

FLAD—Nice hall room, electric light; phone; private family; gents; phone Grand 1466J. (89)

GIBSON, 4528—Two nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping; private family; ¼ block from Forest Park. Grand 2238W. (7)

PARK, 2749A—Furnished front room; southern exposure; Park and Compton cars. (7)

PARK, 2018—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; bath, laundry, conveniences; reasonable; no objection to children.

RUSSELL, 2745—Two connecting 2d-floor front light housekeeping rooms; all conveniences; reasonable. (6)

RUSSELL, 2747—Nice, clean rooms, fine neighborhood, electricity, bath, phone, $1.50 and $2. (6)

RUTGER, 926—Furnished rooms, for gentleman only. Sidney 3608R.

SHENANDOAH, 4015A—Nicely furnished room, for gentleman or lady, in private family; all conveniences.

SHENANDOAH, 3616A—2 or 3 furnished rooms, for housekeeping; references exchanged; refined couple.

PARK, 2919—Room, to refined gentlemen only; private family.

RUSSELL, 3651—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure all conveniences.

RUTGER, 1111—Large, clean, housekeeping room, with gas, bath and linens; $2.50.

TWELFTH, 2300 S.—Single or connecting rooms, for housekeeping or rooming, running water, gas.

UTAH, 931—3 nice furnished rooms, for sleeping, or connecting rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

WAVERLY PL. 1750—Second-floor front, also single room; near Lafayette Park; continuous hot water. (89)

WEST

AUBERT, 746—Beautiful, front room; every convenience; large lawn, breakfast optional; reasonable. Forest 3137M.

BARTMER, 6207—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; also sleeping and hall rooms; near Wagner.

BAYARD, 1144—Two rooms, scrupulously clean; well furnished for housekeeping; refined people; adults only. (6)

CABANNE, 5053—Can accommodate a few day boarders; first-class meals. Forest 3412M.

COOK, 4207—Rooms, furnished, with or without housekeeping privileges. Lindell 6242W

DELMAR BL., 5250A—Neatly furnished hall room, $2.

DELMAR BL., 5157—Large front, southern room, newly furnished; Bell phone; private family; excellent table. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4215—Nicely furnished front room; electricity; both phones; continuous hot water.

DELMAR BL., 3884—Neatly furnished, newly decorated sleeping rooms; electricity, free phone; respectable people. (7)

DELMAR BL. 5196A—3 housekeeping rooms; hot water, porch, sink, southern exposure; also sleeping rooms.

DELMAR BL., 4437—Housekeeping room; cooking gas; all conveniences; $2 per week.

DELMAR BL., 5904—(2d flat west); nicely furnished rooms; modern apartment; private family. Cabany 3069R.

DELMAR BL., 4038—Light housekeeping, front room, completely furnished, both phones, gas, bath.

DUNCAN, 4546—Nice southern room, for one or two; all conveniences; near St. John's Hospital. (6)

ETZEL, 3627 (Apartment D)—Room and board for parties employed; private family; terms reasonable. (5)

JULIAN, 5882—Beautiful large well furnished second story front rooms; lovely grounds and porches; fine location; excellent meals. Cabany 781W. (6)

KENNERLY, 3902—Two connecting rooms, nicely furnished for housekeeping; gas, bath, phone; $3.50 and $4.

KNAPP MARKET, 5960A—Southern exposure, single room; electric and conveniences. Cabany 1827J.

UNION, 2820—Two unfurnished rooms, 2d floor; private family of adults; all modern conveniences; Cars and Union cars; reasonable. (7)

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY

MISCELLANEOUS

ROOM AND BOARD—Furnished south single and double rooms; with board. Forest 7257M.

SOUTH

COMPTON, 1822 S.—Nice room, excellent board, southern exposure; near Reservoir Park; convenient to two car lines. (c7)

LAFAYETTE, 2136 (opposite park)—Large, well-furnished room, with board; modern; southern exposure; both phones; 4th st. car to door; convenient to 3 car lines. Victor 6201R, Sidney 2024. (7)

MISSISSIPPI, 1556—Opposite Lafayette Park; for 1 or 2 gentlemen, southern and western exposure; phone, electric lights, hot water; excellent table; modern; first-class home; 4 car lines; reasonable.

MISSOURI, 1615—Room and board, for gentlemen; modern conveniences, facing Lafayette Park.

ROOM AND BOARD—Nicely furnished room, southern exposure, excellent board, convenient to 2 car lines. Victor 2134L.

ROOM AND BOARD—South Side; few doors from Grand, in private home, for 1 or 2 gentlemen looking for comforts of modern home; beautiful yard; breakfast optional. For information phone Sidney 2128. (5)

RUSSELL, 4248—Small south room with sleeping porch; meals if desired. Grand 3270R. (6)

WEST

BELT, 1300—Well furnished, large, 2d floor room, for 1 or 2 gentlemen; modern conveniences; excellent cooking, very reasonable. Forest 9937.

CABANNE, 5206—2d-story front room; southern exposure; good board; all convs. (7)

CABANNE, 5102—2 or 3 people desiring good board and first-class accommodations, kindly investigate; also table boarders (6)

CATES, 5076—Neatly furnished room, with breakfast if desired. Bell phone. (6)

CATES, 5014—Room and board, for 1 or 2 gentlemen; private home. (7)

CATES, 5091—Desirable, front room, with room; gentlemen; private home; Hodiamont car. Forest 5403M.

CATES, 5616—Large, desirable southern-exposed front and single room; best of home cooking; individual tables; terms res. (7)

CATES, 5093—Room and board, for young lady; conveniences; separate beds. Forest 5021W. (6)

CATES, 5152—Attractive, large, double room, excellent table, modern home; phone; $6 week.

DELMAR BL., 3840—Room and board, $16 per month; employed people; home cooking.

DELMAR BL., 5000A—Nice 2d-story front room, with good home cooking; $4.50 week; men.

DELMAR BL., 3856—Newly furnished room; excellent board; phone; hot bath; rates $5, $6.

EUCLID, 408—Beautiful rooms, private baths, select patronage only; cuisine best market affords; reasonable. (5)

JULIAN, 5882—Beautiful large well furnished second story front rooms; lovely grounds and porches; fine location; excellent meals. Cabany 781W. (6)

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1246 N.—Board for girl employed; 2d-floor front room; reasonable. Page car. (6)

LACLEDE, 3733—Nicely furnished room, first-class table; refined home; reasonable. (6)

LINDELL BL., 3700—Large front room, suitable for 2; separate beds; excellent meals; reasonable. (10)

LINDELL BL., 3942—Very modern furnished rooms; delightful location; all modern conveniences; excellent meals. (7)

McPHERSON, 4516—Large front room and single southern room, with porch; newly decorated, good table; all convs.; reasonable.

McPHERSON, 3949A—Nicely furnished front room; small private family; phone; good meals next door if desired; reas. (7)

Mc[illegible]SON, 4000—Refined couple or gentlemen may obtain comfortable rooms in desirable residence; private home service; excellent meals; references exchanged. (8)

McPHERSON, 3949A—Nicely furnished front room; small private family; telephone; good meals; next door if desired; reasonable. (7)

McPHERSON, 4710—Neatly furnished southern exposed room, adjoining bath; private porch; University car; first-class home cooking; reasonable. Forest 5029.

MAPLE, 5428—Attractive, large, light rooms; continuous hot water; excellent meals; reasonable; free phone. (4)

MAPLE, 5375—Attractive rooms, excellent board, instantaneous hot water; hot water heat.

MARYLAND, 4388—Large front room, 1 or 2 gentlemen; board; Olive car. Lindell 407.

MARYLAND, 4366—Large room for 2; southern exposure; single room, $5 each; good board. (c)

MORGAN, 4112—Neatly furnished single room; good home cooking; terms reasonable; conveniences.

MORGAN, 4158—Neatly furnished room, for 1 or 2; home cooking; all conveniences; reasonable.

NEWBERRY, 4700—Well-furnished 2d-floor room; good board; all conveniences; reasonable. Forest 6029W.

PAGE BL., 4656—Cozy room; splendid table; private family.

PAGE BL., 4936—Front room, 2d floor, twin beds; also single room; board; reasonable; modern. (4)

VERNON, 5705—Second-floor front room; southern exposure; excellent board; private phone. Cabany 4804M.

VERNON, 5482—Large, well furnished room, with board; every modern convenience; in nice home, for couple or gentlemen. Forest 4811R.

VON VERSEN, 5101—Double 2d-floor front room, southern exposure; every convenience; good table board.

VON VERSEN, 5175—Southern-exposed front and connecting rooms, with board; private home. Forest 3570J.

VON VERSEN, 5198—Room and board; employed people; continuous hot water; Forest 6435J. (7)

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The Post-Dispatch Daily Short Story.

"This Is the Life"

By Sam Hellman.

THE dripping hair of the piano player danced on his forehead as his shoulders rose and fell over the ivories. At the Palm Garden music was recorded by one standard-volume; the master craftsman was he who pressed hardest on the keys. It made little difference to the patrons what was played; if the "Traumerei" could be made to give forth as much sound as the "Buzz Saw Rag," well, then let's have the "Traumerei."

It was a warm spring night, the player was tiring and some of the keys failed to hit bed-rock. Reichenbach in the rear of the garden sensed the diminishing volume and strode across the room.

"Put some pep into it," he hissed to the perspiring artist. "Where do you think you are at, a funeral or playing to some friends in a hospital ward. Here, Pete, bring him a beer?"

The music stopped abruptly.

"Come out of it," rasped the piano player, "Say, do you know I've been hammering this thing all night. Ain't yer got no singing acts or nothin'? What's the idea—trying to cut expenses and make me pull the whole cabaret?"

"No, I ain't," answered Reichenbach, in a conciliatory tone. "The Keeny sisters laid down and even the boy tenor threw me. I just called up the agency though and they're going to send a singer down right away."

"All right," growled the pianist, "but hustle her along quick. I feel myself slipping. This gang don't want no music, they want drum fire."

Fifteen minutes later through the smoke came Reichenbach with the new singer.

"This is Miss Smith," said the proprietor. "Give him your music, kid. Now, Harris, you can play soft for a while and take a rest."

The pianist swiveled about.

"Miss——" Harris' puffy lips opened wide and a foolish look came into his eyes.

The singer shook her head slowly. The piano player understood.

"Come on," cried Reichenbach, "let's have some music."

In a thin, tenuous voice, Miss Smith sang about her home in Tennessee and about apple blossoms in Normandy.

At 1 o'clock the music ceased, but several parties were still about the tables finishing up drinks that had been ordered before lid time.

In a far corner at a table littered with half-empty steins, cigarette butts and sandwich ends sat Harris and Miss Smith.

"You don't look very well, Clara."

"You don't look so well yourself, Joe. Working hard?"

"Uh, huh. How about you?"

"I ain't working enough." There was a bitter tang in the nervous little laugh."

"It's six years since I left the old burg. When do you blow in?"

"Five years ago yesterday, Joe."

"Well?"

"I don't know, Joe. I just can't catch on. You know they always said I had a good voice in Fitchburg. The old man had a little money and sent me here to go to music school. I worked hard for a couple of years. The money ran out. They won't give me a chance, Joe. I know I can make good if I get a real chance. I can sing, don't you think so, Joe?"

"Sure you can, kid; you sing fine."

"You play the piano wonderfully, Joe. Won't they give you a chance either?"

"Me!" exclaimed Joe. "I'm getting along fine. I'm just filling in between seasons. They promised me 40 weeks of the big time next season with my pianospiel act."

"I'm glad to hear that, Joe. Listen, do you ever think of going back to Fitchburg?"

"I should say not," laughed Joe. "Me go back to that hick town. This is the life."

"I got a letter from the folks today," went on Clara dreamily. "They want me to come back. The old man is making a lot of money, ma says. He bought that 100 acres from Jepson. You remember Jepson's place, don't you?"

"You bet," said Joe. "That's where the old swimmin' hole was. Say, Clara, why doesn't the old man send you some of that money he is making?"

"He thinks I'm making a couple of hundred a week singing in private recitals," she laughed.

"Why don't you go back?" asked Joe. "There ain't nothing doing in this town in the summer."

"I wish I could," replied Clara, "but I wrote the folks that I had a fine summer garden engagement."

"Aw, go on back," urged Joe. "To tell you the truth, kid, I don't think you'll get anywhere with your voice. It ain't very strong"——

The patch on Clara's cheek blazed crimson.

"What do you know about music, anyway, Joe Harris. What does a bum piano player in a joint like this know about a voice? Why don't you go back to the country? That's where you belong. You ain't got no talent. You'd look a whole lot better leading cows and pigs around than bein' on the stage. I'll be singing in opera when you're beating the music box in a chop suey joint. So long, kid, remember what I said."

"Where's Harris?" asked Clara the next night.

"Gone," snorted Reichenbach, "gone to the country to milk cows and raise chickens."

"Gone!" repeated Clara. "Where?"

"Don't you know?" retorted Reichenbach. "He came in here long enough to leave a note for you. Here."

"Dear Clara," (it read).

"You're right, kid. I can't play the the piano. I've waited six years for someone to say so. I'm beating it back to Fitchburg to stay. Bye-bye. JOE."

"P. S.—I hear the place ain't so crowded that they can't stand another settler. The water in the swimmin' hole's fine."

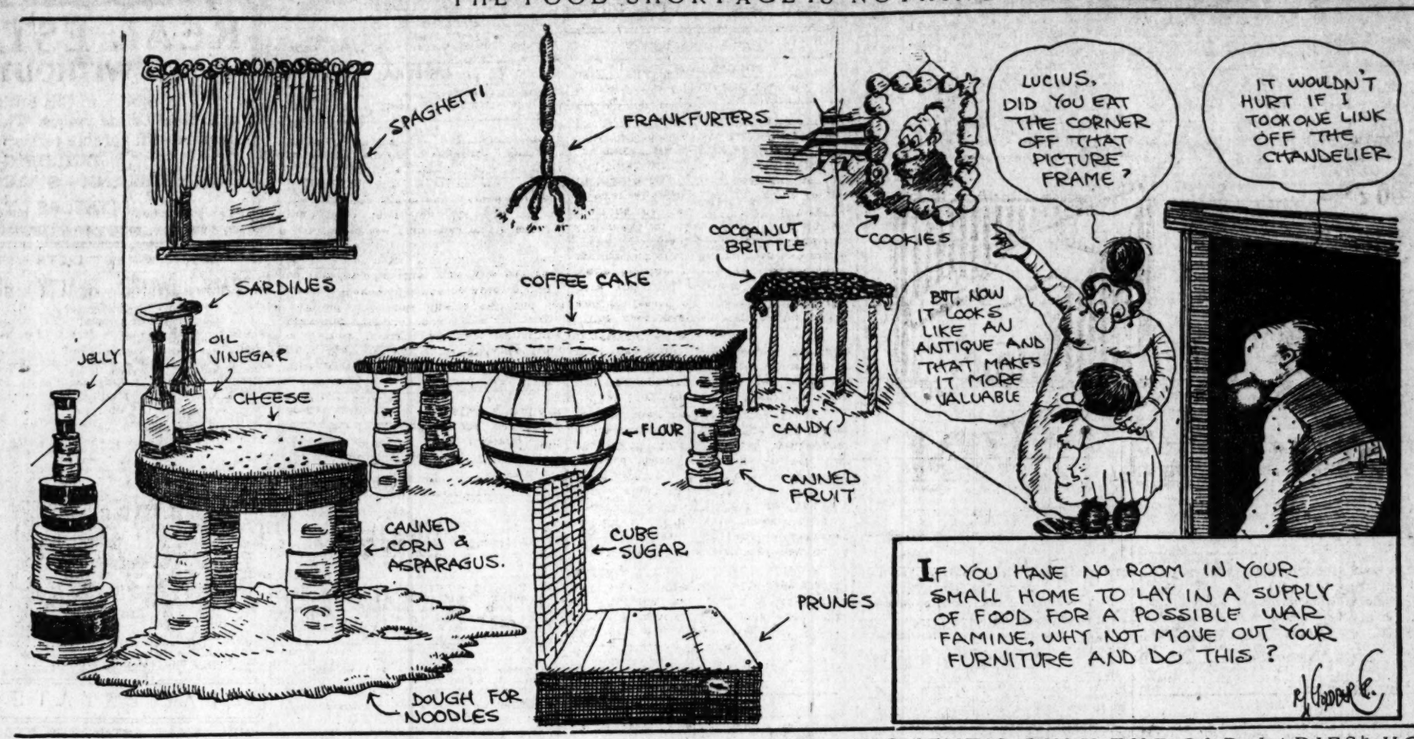
Clara crumpled the note and laughed.

"Come on," said Reichenbach, "Come on and sing."

"Sing," repeated Clara; "me sing. Where do you get that stuff. I can't sing."

THE FOOD SHORTAGE IS NOTHING TO JOKE ABOUT—BY GOLDBERG.

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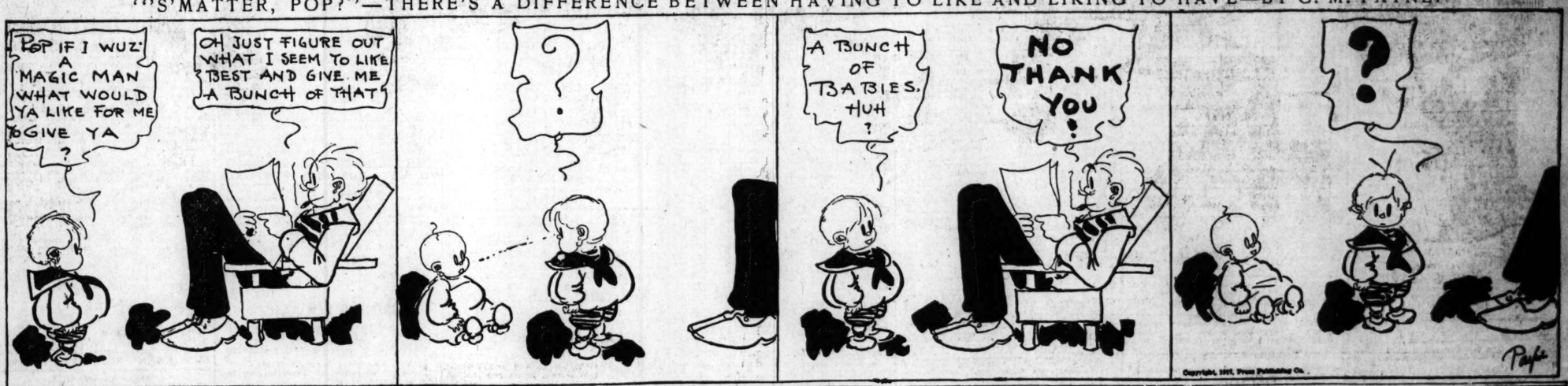


MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF IS GOING TO JOIN SOMETHING IF IT'S ONLY THE OLD LADIES' HOME—BY BUD FISHER.

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"'S'MATTER, POP?"—THERE'S A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN HAVING TO LIKE AND LIKING TO HAVE—BY C. M. PAYNE.



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The Magic Rock.

IN the village where James lived the people called a rock that stood on a hill far from the village the magic rock, because long, long before any of the townsfolk could remember a witch was said to have lived in the village, and one day when the people accused her of working evil among them they decided to hang her.

The old woman broke away from the crowd, and in spite of her age, ran through the village, and was said to have reached the rock and then disappeared, so the rock was given the name of magic rock, because it was supposed to have opened and sheltered the old woman.

The rock was split in the center; whether by earthquake years ago or whether nature had created it so was not known, but it was supposed that it was the place that opened when the witch fled to it for safety.

James had been to the magic rock many times and looked into the narrow opening, trying hard to see something that might be hidden there, but never did he find or see anything but bits of green moss and twigs growing from it.

One night a rich man in the village had his house robbed and many hundred dollars were taken in bills and silver, for the man kept the village store and had carried home with him all the money from the cash drawer.

He offered to pay a hundred dollars for the arrest of the robbers, but weeks went by and nothing was heard from the robbers, and after a while it was forgotten.

One day James walked out of the village and toward the magic rock, and when he was some distance from it James thought he saw something crawling over the rock.

It did not look like a cat and he knew a dog would not be able to climb to the top, for the rock was so steep that only boys ever climbed to the top.

But when he came nearer he saw a man slide down the side and run in the opposite direction. James thought it was queer that a grown man should be climbing the magic rock at that hour in the day, as there were no houses near and the rock was not near the road, either.

Something made James turn off the road and cross a lot instead of going to the rock, as he had intended, and he did not turn until he was in the woods on the other side; then he went behind a tree and looked out, but the man had disappeared.

That night he told his father what he had seen and his father said, "Perhaps it was the robber who stole the storekeeper's money."

The next morning very early James and his father and the storekeeper went through the woods and watched from where James had looked back at the rock, and, much to their surprise, there on top of the rock sat a man, and through the field glasses, which James' father thought to bring along, they could see that the man had a stick or wire and was poking into the opening in the rock.

Just what he was doing they could not make out, but the storekeeper thought it might be the robber and hurried back to the village to get help.

In a short time men armed with revolvers came and by moving slowly and carefully they were able to get near enough to the man to call to him that if he ran they would fire. And they showed their revolvers.

When they reached the rock and looked into the opening, there they could see silver shining and something which at first they could not make out, but later proved to be the bills.

The man was taken into the village and confessed he was one of the robbers and that he carried the money, while the other robbers carried the silver spoons and other pieces they had taken.

They had slept by the side of the rock the night of the robbery and in the morning he had awakened before his partner and the idea had come to him to hide part of the money in the rock and later come back for it and so get the biggest part for himself.

The scheme had worked all right until he came to get the money and found it had slipped so far into the opening that he could not get it, and that was how he was caught.

Of course, James got the $100 reward, which he put in the bank toward his college money, which he was working for and saving little by little.

He was given the name in the village of "Detective James," and it clung to him through all his boyhood and often after he was a man some old friend would greet him with, "Hello, Detective James, catching any robbers nowadays?"

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